

Intro - keyboard  
 mandolin, verse + chorus  
 all, verse + chorus  
 all, chorus  
 mandolin last 5 bars

# Fields Of Athenry

C43

Violin

By a lonely prison wall  
 I heard a young girl calling  
 Michael they are taking you away  
 For you stole Trevelyn's corn  
 So the young might see the morn.  
 Now a prison ship lies waiting in the bay.

Chorus  
 Low lie the Fields of Athenry  
 Where once we watched the small free birds fly.  
 Our love was on the wing  
 we had dreams and songs to sing  
 It's so lonely 'round the Fields of Athenry.

By a lonely prison wall  
 I heard a young man calling  
 Nothing matters Mary when you're free,  
 Against the Famine and the Crown  
 I rebelled they ran me down  
 Now you must raise our child with dignity.

Chorus  
 By a lonely harbour wall  
 She watched the last star falling  
 As that prison ship sailed out against the sky  
 Sure she'll wait and hope and pray  
 For her love in Botany Bay  
 It's so lonely 'round the Fields of Athenry.

Chorus  
 Chorus