

**INTRO:**

Em C G C D Em  
*(She took my name and then we were one, down by the Wexford border.*

Em C D Em  
 I was twenty four years old when I met the woman I could call my own,  
 Em C G C D Em  
 Twenty-two grand kids now growing old in that house that your brother bought ya  
RIFF Em, C//D//, Em,

Em C D Em  
 On the summer day when I proposed, I made that wedding ring from dentist gold,  
 Em C G D Em  
 And I asked her father but her daddy said, "No! You can't marry my daughter".

**CHORUS:**

G C G D C G  
 She and I went on the run, don't care 'bout religion,  
 C G C D Em  
 I'm gonna marry the woman I love, down by the Wexford border  
 G C G D C G  
 She was Nancy Mulligan, I was William Sheeran.  
 C G C D Em  
 She took my name and then we were one, down by the Wexford border.

**RIFF:**

Em, C//D//, Em, Em, C//G//, C//D//, Em,

Em C D Em  
 Well I met her at Guy's in the Second World War and she was working on a soldier's ward  
 Em C G C D Em  
 Never had I seen such beauty before the moment that I saw her  
 Em C D Em  
 Nancy was my yellow rose and we got married wearing borrowed clothes  
 C G C D Em  
 We got eight children now growing old, five sons and three daughters.

*Chorus followed by Interlude.....*

**INTERLUDE:**

G C D  
 Di da-da-da-da-da di- da- di, di da-da-da-da-da di- da- di da – da,  
 G C D G  
 Di da-da-da-da-da di- da- di, di da-da-da-da-da di, *(repeat these two lines)*

Em C D Em  
 From her snow-white streak in her jet black hair, over sixty years I've been loving her,  
 C G C D Em  
 Now we're sat by the fire in our old armchairs, you know Nancy, I adore ya  
 C D Em  
 From a farm boy born near Belfast town, I never worried about the King and crown,  
 C G C D Em  
 'Cause I found my heart upon the southern ground, there's no difference I assure ya.

*Chorus followed by Interlude x2 ending with G/*