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SALLY MCLENNANE 02/09/2023

Chords by The Pogues strum – 1&2&3&4&

INTRO G, D, A, D,VERSE 1

D
 Well Jimmy played harmonica in
 the
 G D
 pub where I was born,
 He played it from the night-time to
 G A
 the peaceful early morn,
 G
 He soothed the souls of psychos
 D A
 and the men who had the horn,
 D G
 And they all looked very happy in
 A D
 the morning.

VERSE 2

D G
 But Jimmy didn't like his place in
 D
 this world of ours,
 Where the elephant man broke
 G
 strong men's necks when he'd had
 A
 too many powers,
 G
 So sad to see the grieving of the
 D A
 people he was leaving,
 D G A D
 And he took the road for God knows in the morning.

*CHORUS then*CHORUS

D G D D
 We walked him to the station in the rain,
 G A A
 We kissed him as we put him on the train,
 G D G
 And we sang him a song, of times long gone,
 D A
 Though we knew that we'd be seeing him
 D A
 again,
 D
 Sad to say, I must be on my way,
 G D
 So buy me beer and whiskey 'cause I'm
 A
 going far away,
 D
 I'd like to think I'll be returning when I can,
 G D A
 To the greatest little boozer and to Sally
 D
 McLennane.

OUTRO G D A D/

VERSE 3

D
 The years passed by the times had changed,
 G D
 I grew to be a man,
 D G A
 I learned to love the virtues of sweet Sally McLennane.
 G
 I took the jeers and drank the beers
 D A
 and crawled back home at dawn,
 D G A D
 And ended up a barman in the morning.

VERSE 4

D
 I played the pump and took the hump
 G D
 and watered whiskey down,
 And talked of whores and horses to the
 G A
 men who drank the brown,
 G
 I heard them say that Jimmy's making
 D A
 money far away,
 D G A D
 Some people left for heaven without warning

CHORUS *then*

VERSE 5

D
 When Jimmy came back home he was
 G D
 surprised that they were gone,
 D G
 He asked me all the details of the train
 A
 that they went on,
 G
 Some people they are scared to croak,
 D A
 But Jimmy drank until he choked,
 D G A D
 And took the road for heaven in the morning

Chorus and Outro