

Home For A Rest by Spirit Of The West

Am | G | C | F | | C | G | F | C |

[Verse 1: HALF SPEED-SINGLE STRUM]

Am/ G/ C/ F/
You'll have to excuse me, I'm not at my best
C/ G/ F/ C/
I've been gone for a month, I've been drunk since I left
Am/ G/ C/ F/
These so-called vacations will soon be my death
C/ G/ F/ C/
I'm so sick from the drink I need home for a rest.

[Verse 2: FULL SPEED]

Am G C F
We arrived in December and London was cold
C G F C
We stayed in the bars along Charing Cross Road
Am G C F
We never saw nothin' but brass taps and oak
C G F G
Kept a shine on the bar with the sleeves of our coats

CHORUS

G/
You'll have to excuse me,
C/ G/
I'm not at my best
C F
I've been gone for a week,
G
I've been drunk since I left
G/
And these so-called vacations,
C/ G/
will soon be my death
C F G C
I'm so sick from the drink, I need home for a rest

Instrumental: Am | G | C | F | Am | G | C | F |

[Verse 3]

Am G C F
Euston Station, the train journey North
C G F C
In the buffet car we lurched back and forth
Am G C F
Past old crooked dykes through Yorkshire's green
fields
C G F G
We were flung into dance as the train jiggled and reeled

CHORUS 2

Instrumental:

Am | F | G | G | Am | F | G | G |
Am | Dm | G | Em | Am | Dm | G | G | | Em |

[Verse 4]

Am G C F
By the light of the moon, she'd drift through the streets
C G F C
A rare old perfume, so seductive and sweet
Am G C F
She'd tease us and flirt, as the pubs all closed down
C G F G
Then walk us on home and deny us a round

CHORUS 3

Instrumental:

Am | Dm | G | Em | Am | Dm | G | G |

[Verse 5]

Am G C F
The gas heater's empty, it's damp as a tomb
C G F C
The spirits we drank now ghosts in the room
Am G C F
I'm knackered again, come on sleep take me soon
C G F G
And don't lift up my head 'till the twelve bells at noon

CHORUS 4

Instrumental:

Am | F | G | G | Am | F | G | G |
Am | Dm | G | Em | Am | Dm | G | G A |

Bm | Bm | Bm | G A | Bm | Bm | Bm | G A |
D | D | G | A | D | D | G | A |
Bm | Bm | Bm | G A | Bm | Bm | Bm | G A |
D | D | G | A | D | D | G | A |

Am | Am | G | D ||:

(repeat as many times as you want and fade out)