

# The Fields of Athenry

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Chord symbols: Eb, Ab, Eb, Bb, Eb, Ab, Eb, Bb, Eb, Bb7, Eb, Eb, Ab, Eb, Bb, Bb7, Eb, Eb, Ab, Eb.

Lyrics:  
By a lone - ly pri - son wall I heard a young girl cal - ling  
Mi - chael they are ta - king you a - way For you stole Tre - ve - lyan's corn So the  
young might see the morn Now a pri - son ship lies wait - ing in the bay  
Low lie the Fields of A - then - ry Where once we watched the small free birds fly  
Our love was on the wing We had dreams and songs to  
sing Now it's lo - ney round the fields of A - then - ry

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"

By a lonely harbour wall  
she watched the last star falling  
While the prison ship  
sailed out against the sky  
Sure she wait and hope and pray  
for her love in Botany Bay  
It's so lonely round the fields of Athenry