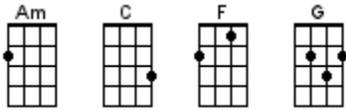


Cold Cold Ground

Tom Waits 1987



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[C] / [Am] / [C] / [Am] /
[C] / [Am] / [C] / [Am] /

[C] Crestfallen sidekick in an **[Am]** old cafe
Never **[C]** slept with a dream before he **[Am]** had to go away
There's a **[C]** bell in the tower, Uncle **[Am]** Ray bought a round
Don't **[F]** worry 'bout the army, in the **[G]** cold, cold **[C]** ground **[C]**
Cold, cold **[Am]** ground **[Am]**
Cold, cold **[C]** ground **[C]**
Cold, cold **[Am]** ground **[Am]**

Now don't **[C]** be a cry baby, when there's **[Am]** wood in the shed
There's a **[C]** bird in the chimney and a **[Am]** stone in my bed
When the **[C]** road's washed out, they pass the **[Am]** bottle around
And **[F]** wait in the arms, of the **[G]** cold, cold **[C]** ground **[C]**
The cold, cold **[Am]** ground **[Am]**
The cold, cold **[C]** ground **[C]**
Cold, cold **[Am]** ground **[Am]**

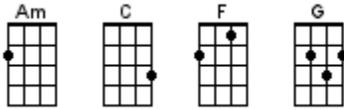
There's a **[C]** ribbon in the willow, there's a **[Am]** tire swing rope
And a **[C]** briar patch of berries takin' **[Am]** over the slope
The **[C]** cat'll sleep in the mailbox and we'll **[Am]** never go to town
'Til we **[F]** bury every dream, in the **[G]** cold, cold **[C]** ground **[C]**
In the cold, cold **[Am]** ground **[Am]**
Cold, cold **[C]** ground **[C]**
In the cold, cold **[Am]** ground **[Am]**

Gimme a **[C]** Winchester rifle and a **[Am]** whole box of shells
[C] Blow the roof off the goat barn, let it **[Am]** roll down the hill
The **[C]** piano is firewood, Times **[Am]** Square is a dream
[F] Lay down together in the **[G]** cold, cold **[C]** ground **[C]**
In the cold, cold **[Am]** ground **[Am]**
Cold, cold **[C]** ground **[C]**
In the cold, cold **[Am]** ground **[Am]**

Call the **[C]** cops on the Breedloves, bring a **[Am]** bible and a rope
And a **[C]** whole box of rebel and a **[Am]** bar of soap
Make a **[C]** pile of trunk tires and **[Am]** burn 'em all down
Bring a **[F]** dollar with you baby, in the **[G]** cold, cold **[C]** ground **[C]**
In the cold, cold **[Am]** ground **[Am]**
In the cold, cold **[C]** ground **[C]**
In the cold, cold **[Am]** ground **[Am]**

Take a **[C]** weathervane rooster, throw **[Am]** rocks at his head
Stop **[C]** talkin' to the neighbours until we **[Am]** all go dead
Be-**[C]**ware of my temper and the **[Am]** dog that I've found
[F] Break all the windows in the **[G]** cold, cold **[C]** ground **[C]**

In the cold, cold **[Am]** ground **[Am]**
In the cold, cold **[C]** ground **[C]**
In the cold, cold **[Am]** ground **[Am]** / **[C]** ↓



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