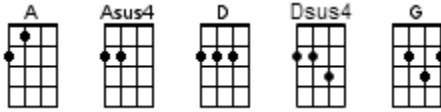


Ballad of Bowser MacRae

David Francey, June 4, 2005 MV Algoville, Lake Superior



INTRO: / 1 2 3 / 1 2 3 / [D] / [Dsus4] / [D] / [Dsus4]

I was [D] born in Cape [G] Breton, I was [D] born by the [A] sea
[Asus4] / [A] / [Asus4]

By the [D] Seal Island [G] Bridge an' [A] sweet Boular-[D]derie
[Dsus4] / [D] / [Dsus4]

An' by [D] age seven-[G]teen there was [D] nothin' for [A] me
[Asus4] / [A] / [Asus4]

So I [D] headed for [G] Thorold, washed [A] up on the [D] beach
[Dsus4] / [D] / [Dsus4]

An' I [D] slept in the [G] Jungle, lived [D] hard, took a [A] fall
[Asus4] / [A] / [Asus4]

'Til I [D] found myself [G] standin' at the [A] SIU [D] hall
[Dsus4] / [D] / [Dsus4]

An' with [D] nothin' to [G] stay for, no [D] kids and no [A] wife
[Asus4] / [A] / [Asus4]

I [D] signed on that [G] mornin' for the [A] rest of my [D] life
[Dsus4] / [D] / [Dsus4]

An' my [A] back it was strong, an' that [D] strength never [A] failed
[Asus4] / [A] / [Asus4]

Up the [D] Detroit [G] River on the [A] Ferndale I [D] sailed

INSTRUMENTAL:

[G] / [D] / [A] / [Asus4] / [A] / [Asus4] /
[D] / [G] / [A] / [D] / [Dsus4] / [D] / [Dsus4]

An' [D] now I am [G] married to the [D] woman I [A] love
[Asus4] / [A] / [Asus4]

She's a [D] gift I was [G] given from [A] Heaven a-[D]bove
[Dsus4] / [D] / [Dsus4]

An' I [D] call every [G] mornin', and I [D] call every [A] night
[Asus4] / [A] / [Asus4]

All [D] I ever [G] wanted, the [A] love of my [D] life
[Dsus4] / [D] / [Dsus4]

An' [A] now in the evenin' when we [D] talk on the [A] phone

[Asus4] / [A] / [Asus4]

She says [D] "I love you [G] Darlin', when you [A] comin' back [D] home"

INSTRUMENTAL:

[G] / [D] / [A] / [Asus4] / [A] / [Asus4] /

[D] / [G] / [A] / [D] / [Dsus4] / [D] / [Dsus4]

An' to-[D]night, down the [G] line, I [D] heard my boy [A] say

[Asus4] / [A] / [Asus4]

He says [D] "Daddy I [G] miss ya [A] more every [D] day

[Dsus4] / [D] / [Dsus4]

But when [D] I hear your [G] voice, then [D] I feel al-[A]right"

[Asus4] / [A] / [Asus4]

He says [D] "I love you [G] Daddy, good [A] luck an' good [D] night"

[Dsus4] / [D] / [Dsus4]

And [A] now in the evenin' when we [D] talk on the [A] phone

[Asus4] / [A] / [Asus4]

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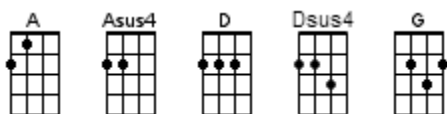
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OUTRO:

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[D] / [G] / [A] / [D] ↓



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