

Those Were the Days my Friend

Sing 1st string open one octave lower DDUDUDUD

[Am] Once upon a time there was a [Am7] tavern
 [A7] Where we used to raise a glass or [Dm] two
 [Dm] Remember how we laughed away the [Am] hours
 And [B7] dreamed of all the great things we would [E7] do

Those were the [Am] days my friend we thought they'd [Dm] never end
 We'd sing and [G] dance for[G7] ever and a [C] day
 We'd live the [Dm] life we choose we'd fight and [Am] never lose
 For we were [E7] young and sure to have our [Am] way
 [E7] La la la [Am] la la la [A7] la la la [Dm] la la la La la la [E7] la, la la la la la [Am] la

[Am] Then the busy years went rushing
 [Am7] by us We [A7] lost our starry notions
 on the [Dm] way [Dm] If by chance I'd see
 you in the [Am] tavern We'd [B7] smile at
 one another and we'd [E7] say

Chorus

Those were the [Am] days my friend we thought they'd [Dm] never end
 We'd sing and [G] dance for[G7] ever and a [C] day
 We'd live the [Dm] life we choose we'd fight and [Am] never lose
 Those were [E7] the days, oh yes those were the [Am] days
 [E7] La la la [Am] la la la [A7] la la la [Dm] la la la La la la [E7] la, la la la la la [Am] la

[Am] Just tonight I stood before the [Am7]
 tavern [A7] Nothing seemed the way it
 used to [Dm] be [Dm] In the glass I saw
 a strange re[Am]flection [B7] Was that
 lonely woman really [E7] me

Chorus

[E7] La la la [Am] La la la [A7] la la la [Dm] la la la La la la [G] la, la [G7] la la la la [C] la
 La la la [Dm] la la la, la la la [Am] la la la La la la [E7] la, la la la la la [Am] la
 La la la la la [C] la, la la la la la [Dm] la la la la la [Am] la

[Am] Through the door there came familiar [Am7] laughter
 I [A7] saw your face and heard you call my [Dm] name
 [Dm] Oh my friend we're older but no [Am] wiser
 For [B7] in our hearts the dreams are still the [E7] same

Chorus

[E7] La la la [Am] La la la [A7] la la la [Dm] la la la La la la [G] la, la [G7] la la la la [C] la
 La la la [Dm] la la la, la la la [Am] la la la La la la [E7] la, la la la la la [Am] la
 La la la la la [C] la, la la la la la [Dm] la la la la la [Am] la
 La la la la la [C] la, la la la la la [Dm] la la la la la [Am] la

