

## Witness Blues

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Just listen to the song a few times to get it right.

**G** **C**  
Come out to the edge where it is quiet  
**D** **G**  
Where the ink will drain right out of you  
**G** **C**  
Far below, the sea and its convictions  
**D** **G**  
Get broken by the beach out of your view

**C** **G**  
And once there was a time to join the army  
**C** **G**  
And once there was a time to hear the news  
**C** **G**  
And once there was a time for easy silence  
**D** **G**  
But now the jury waits for you

**G** **C**  
You re caught between the mirror and the country  
**D** **G**  
And caught up in a prayer of liars words  
**G** **C**  
The hounds are on your scent, you must move swiftly  
**D** **G**  
Their spies just tellin lies of what they heard

**C** **G**  
And once there was a time to join the army  
**C** **G**  
And once there was a time to hear the news  
**C** **G**  
And once there was a time for easy silence  
**D** **G**  
But now the jury waits for you

**G** **C**  
So make yourself a mask of chrome and heartaches  
**D** **G**

And give yourself a hand to turn away

**G**

**C**

Once you heard a choir when you were dreamin

**D**

**G**

And you wish you could remember it today

**C**

**G**

And once there was a time to join the army

**C**

**G**

And once there was a time to hear the news

**C**

**G**

And once there was a time for easy silence

**D**

**G**

But now the jury waits for you