

Sand in your shoes

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|Intro| G C Bm Am  
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G Em  
You always were a city kid  
C D  
Though you were country raised  
G Em  
And back in some forgotten time  
C D  
We shared the cold north days

G Em  
But the simple life was not your style  
C D  
And you just had to escape  
G C Bm Am D G  
So it s goodbye to my lady of the islands

G Em  
On Remembrance Day the bands all played  
C D  
The bells pealed through the park  
G Em  
And you lay there by the Do Not signs  
C D  
And shamed them with your spark

G Em  
Now, winter moans in old men s bones  
C D  
As the day falls into dark  
G C Bm Am D G  
And it s goodbye to my lady of the islands

Bm Em  
It was just like this behind  
Am D  
The kisses you so soon swept away  
Bm Em  
Oh I always knew that some day  
Am D Am Bm Am  
You d be bound to just get pulled away

G Em  
The summer sun beats on and on  
C D

The shops swim in the heat

G Em

And you re standin by the traffic signs

C D

With taxis at your feet

G Em

Well, I know that in your city skin

C D

You re feeling more complete

G C Em Am D G

So it s goodbye to my lady of the islands

|Solo| G Em C D  
G Em C D

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E |-----|
B |-----8-7h8p7h8h7h8--5--5-----|
G |-4--4-5-7-----7--5--7--7-|
D |-----|
A |-----|
E |-----|

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E |-----|
B |-----|
G |-----12-----11-----9--9-----|
D |-9-9-10-11-----12-10-12-12-|
A |-----|
E |-----|

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