

Monument In Green
Big Head Todd And The Monsters

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>From the album Midnight Radio
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-INTRO-

C7 C C7 C F9maj7

-VERSE-

C7 C
Well I rode the green across this country.
C7 C
Horses lived and died to take me
F9
Men I killed to help me get there, further west I died to take me.
C7 C
Blackened face and dirty laundry.
C7 C
Many days since I have eaten.
F9
Found myself a family.

Broke my back so I could feed them.

-CHORUS-

C7 C C7 C
High in the wind.
F9
Standing in the sun.
C7 C C7 C
We re gonna raise up the heavens.
F9
With a shovel and a gun.
Am
I was so much younger then.

C

I would never ever listen.

Am

I am so much older now.

C

I thought that things would end up different.

Am G

Farewell, lover in green.

-VERSE-

C7 C

Elizabeth she is my lady.

C7 C

Says the prayers and does the learnin'.

F9

Waking up all the children.

Making love in early morning.

C7 C

We took to building up the cities.

C7 C

We built the churches in our cities.

F9

Happy in the green country.

And in the green they buried me.

-REPEAT CHORUS-

-BRIDGE-

Am C Am C

Oh. She sang hymns that made me cry.

Am C

Oh. She danced so tender.

Am C G

As I held you in the green.

*Bridge ends with a flurry of notes I do not know.

-INTRO CHORDS WITH HARMONICA IN C-

-SPOKEN VERSE-

C7 C C7 C

Well I m dead now.

F9

My wife Elizabeth is at my side.

C7 C C7

C

I ve got children all around me.

F9

I ve got grandchildren.

C7 C C7 C

I ve got great grandchildren.

F9

I ve got great great grandchildren.

C7 C C7

C

Too many for me to remember.

F9

Maybe one of them is you?

-CHORUS-

-chords-

C	C7	F9	G	Am	
0	0	0	0	3	0
3	3	0	0	2	0
2	2	3	0	0	2
0	0	2	0	0	2
1	3	1	3	3	1
0	0	3	3	3	0