

**Lonely Soldier**  
**Damien Rice**

A song that he does live often, you can hear it on one of the fansites he has knocking about.

Standard tuning: Capo 5th fret

Chords used, relative to the capo:

G - 320033  
**Cadd9** - X32033  
G/F# - 20033  
Em7 - 022033  
**Dsus2** - XX0230  
**Dsus4** - XX0233  
**D** - XX0232  
**C** - X32010  
**D(2)** - X54030

Intro - **G Cadd9**

Hammer on on the A string on the G chord and the D string on the C chord. You can hear it when you listen.

Verse 1:

**G Cadd9 G Cadd9** (A couple of hammer ons)  
Lonely soldier go home

**G Cadd9 G**  
Lonely but never alone

**G/F# Em7 Cadd9 G**  
Good eyes, see nothing to shoot

**G/F# Em7 Cadd9 G**  
Good feet, feel good giving up good boots

Verse 2:

**G Cadd9 G Cadd9**  
So ask your father how d you fall

**G Cadd9 G**  
So ask your father how d you fall

**G/F# Em7 Cadd9 G**  
Like a leaf, sitting on the ground

**G/F#**                    **Em7**                    **Dsus2**                    **G**  
Good for nothing, except kicking around

Chorus:

**G**                            **Cadd9**                            **G**  
She died with her hands stretched out

**Cadd9**                            **G**  
She died with a hungry mouth

**Cadd9**                            **G**  
She died with her mind, full of doubt

**D/Dsus2/Dsus4/D**  
and thoughts of weakening

**Cadd9**                            **G**  
so may your river never dry

**Cadd9**                            **G**  
and may your mouth never lie

**Cadd9**                            **G**  
may you be satisfied, to never know why

**C**                            **D(2)**  
Sometimes, someone just wants to die

and then on with the next verse as before. Comments welcome.