## Dear Friend Fish

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 $[\mathbf{D}]$  Dear  $[\mathbf{G}]$  friend, it s been a  $[\mathbf{D}]$  long, long while I ve been  $[\mathbf{F}]$  meaning to write you but it was  $[\mathbf{C}]$  never my style But  $[\mathbf{G}]$  what is these  $[\mathbf{C}]$  days  $[\mathbf{F}]$  now I m a  $[\mathbf{C}]$  family man.

[G]....[C]....[G]

[G]Do you blow [D]sincere kisses to [Am]mistresses [Em]Secrets on [C]afternoons? Do you [D]wear your disguises, [Am]feign the surp[Em]rises, At the [C]questions she [Em]asks when she [Am]dares to accuse? Does your [D]past lie under a [Am]dustsheet, [Em] In the [C]corner of a [G]musty [D]garage?
[G]That s where I [C]keep mine now, [F]now I m a [C]family man.

[G]....[G]....[G]

[D]Are your horses still [Am]running when the bookies shops [Em]close?
[D]Is the band still tog[Am]ether, did you ever get on the road?[Em]
[D]We chased the same women, we [Am]drank the same [Em]beer.
We [C]came as a pair[G] when we [D]ran around here
How [G]are you these [C]days, [F]now you re a [C]family man?

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[D]Buy a drink for the [Am]boy in my [Em]place at the [C]end of the bar Give my [D]regards to Nina, [Am]slam a tequila, [Em]
And I ll [C]write you at [Em]Christmas or I ll [Am]send you a card,
But if you [D]pass by you re welcome to [Am]drop in and [Em]see me cos it s un[C]likely I ll [G]be round your [D]way,
cos I m [G]happy to [C]be where I [F]am, living [C]life as a [G]family man

....[C]....[G]

[D]Do you still have your [Am]leathers, or did you give them away?[Em] [D]Do you still dream of [Am]Joni and sidewalk caf[Em]es?

Is your [D]Norton still running, is the old [Am]man still alive?[Em]

Do you [C]still get to Dalkei[G]th, is your [D]rent still as high?

But I [G]suppose you ve a [C]mortgage, [F]now you re a [C]family man.

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