

Shutting Detroit Down

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Hey this is my first tab, works for me hope you enjoy it, it is a great song.

VERSE 1-Tabbed by Pat S.

G

My daddy taught me that in this country everyoneâ€™s the same  
You work hard for your dollar and you never pass the blame

C

When it donâ€™t go your way

G

Now I see all these big shots cryinâ€™ on my evening news  
About how theyâ€™re losinâ€™ billions and how itâ€™s up to me and you
 

To come running to the rescue

D

C 

D

Well pardon me if I donâ€™t shed a tear â€™cause theyâ€™re selling make believe

C

And we donâ€™t buy that here   

Chorus

G

C

G

Cause in the real world they re shutting Detroit down

G

D

C

G

 While the boss man takes his bonus pay and jets out of town

G

D

C

G

And DCâ€™s bailing out the bankers as the farmers auction ground

G

D

C

G

Yeah while theyâ€™re living it up on Wall Street in that New York City town

G

C

Em

Here in the real world thereâ€™re shuttinâ€™ Detroit down.  

G

C

G

Here in the real world theyâ€™re shuttinâ€™ Detroit down.â€™   

VERSE 2

G

Well that old manâ€™s been workinâ€™ in that plant most all of his life
Now his pension planâ€™s been cut in half and he canâ€™t afford to die  

C

And itâ€™s a crying shame â€™cause he ainâ€™t the one to blame

D  

When I look down and see his caloused hands  

D

C

Let me tell you friend it gets me fightinâ€™ mad   

Chorus

  

VERSE 3

Instrumental solo - I just play the same chords  

G **D** **C** **G**

Yeah while thereâ€™ living it up on Wall Street in that New York City town
 

G **C** **Em**
Here in the real world there shuttinâ€™ Detroit down  

G **C** **Em**
Here in the real world there shuttinâ€™ Detroit down   

G **C** **Em**
In the real world theyâ€™re shuttin Detroit down

C **G**
Theyâ€™re shuttinâ€™ Detroit down.

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