

**Flowers Of Saskatchewan**  
**Malinky**

[Intro]

**C F C F C G C**

[Verse]

N.C. **C F C**  
The sun was shining on the English Channel  
**F C G C**  
On a ferry off the coast of France  
**F C**  
And it was summer and a pleasant morning  
**F C G C**  
And high above gulls wheeled and danced  
**F Am G**  
And high above the cliffs of morning  
**C F**  
The gun emplacements had stood in ranks  
N.C. **C F C**  
And I walked over to the railings  
**F C G C**  
And heard the ghosts of the Calgary tanks

[Instrumental]

**C F C F C G C**

[Verse]

N.C. **C F C**  
And I remembered pictures I d seen  
**F C G C**  
In history books and magazines  
**F C**  
Of three men standing, smoking, staring  
**F C G C**  
Among the dead on a rocky beach  
**F Am G**  
And in the light of that pleasant morning  
**C F**  
As we sailed under the cliffs above  
N.C. **C F C**  
I thought of all their silent prayers  
**F C G C F C G C**  
And the final thoughts of the ones they loved

[Verse]

N.C. **C F C**  
That they left behind at prairie stations  
**F C G C**  
Waving to their pride and joy

**F C**  
 Waving to the smiling faces  
**F C G C**  
 Smiling faces of the soldier boys  
**F Am G**  
 No waves of grain could claim the fallen  
**C F**  
 Just the Channel, cold and grey as steel  
 N.C. **C F C**  
 And no return to the rolling prairie  
**F C G C**  
 Or a silent cross on a lonely field

[Instrumental]

**C F C F C G C**

[Verse]

**F C**  
 The sun was shining on the rolling prairie  
**F C G C**  
 Far from the Channel, cold and grey  
**F C**  
 Shone on the families, friends and lovers  
**F C G C**  
 Of the prairie boys who fell that day  
**F Am G**  
 But they could not know on that sunny morning  
**C F**  
 The future held for them no joy  
 N.C. **C F C**  
 They d wait in vain at prairie stations  
**F C G C**  
 Wait in vain for their soldier boys

[Outro]

**G C G C**