

Madame Genevas
Mark Knopfler

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Madame Genevaâ€™s
Tabbed By Mad Mart

Capo 2

Intro. | **Am F F G** | x 4 | **Am Am** |

Vers. | **Am G Am** | **Am G Am** | **C G F** | **F E Am** | **Am** | x 2

Iâ€™m a maker of ballads right pretty
I write them right here in the street
You can buy them all over the city
yours for a penny a sheet
Iâ€™m a word pecker out of the printers
out of the dens of Gin Lane
Iâ€™ll write up a scene on a counter
- confessions and sins in the main, boys
confessions and sins in the main

Chorus. | **C F G C** | **F C G** | **G C C F** | **G E Am** |

Then youâ€™ll find me in Madame Genevaâ€™s
keeping the demons at bay
Thereâ€™s nothing like gin for
drowning them in
but theyâ€™ll always be back on a hanging day

Intermezzo. | **Am F F G** | x 4 | **Am Am** |

Vers. | **Am G Am** | **Am G Am** | **C G F** | **F E Am** | x 2 | **G F G Am** |

They come rattling over the cobbles
they sit on their coffins of black
Some are struck dumb, some gabble
top-heavy on brandy or sack
The pews are all full of fine fellows
and the hawker has set up her shop
As theyâ€™re turning them off at the gallows
sheâ€™ll be selling right under the drop, boys
selling right under the drop

Chorus. | **C F G C** | **F C G** | **G C C F** | **G E Am** |

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Solo. | **Am F F G** | x 7 | **Am Am** |

Outro. | **E E E** | (picked)