

**I Aint Marching Anymore**  
**Phil Ochs**

[Verse]

**G** **C** **D**  
oh i marched to the battle of new orleans  
**G** **C** **D**  
at the end of the early british war  
**G** **Am** **F** **Em**  
a young land started growing, a young blood started flowing  
**C** **Am** **D**  
but i ain t a marching anymore

**G** **C** **D**  
for i killed my share of indians in a thousand different fights  
**G** **C** **D**  
i was there at the little big horn  
**G** **Am** **F** **Em**  
i heard many men lying i saw many more dying  
**C** **Am** **D**  
and i ain t a marching anymore

[Chorus]

**C** **G**  
it s always the old who lead us to the war  
**C** **Em** **A**  
it s always the young who fall  
**C** **G** **D** **Em**  
look at all we ve won with the sabre and the gun  
**C** **Am** **D**  
tell me, was it worth it all?

[Verse]

**G** **C** **D**  
for i stole california from the mexican lands  
**G** **C** **D**  
and i fought in the bloody civil war.  
**G** **Am** **F** **Em**  
yes i even killed my brothers and so many others  
**C** **Am** **D**  
so i ain t a marching anymore  
**G** **C** **D**  
for i marched to the battles of the german trench  
**G** **C** **D**  
in a war that was bound to end all wars  
**G** **Am** **F** **Em**  
and i must have killed a million men and now they want me back again  
**C** **Am** **D**

but i ain t a marching anymore.

[Chorus]

**G** **C** **D**  
for i flew the final mission in the japanese skies

**G** **C** **D**  
and i set off the mighty mushroom roar

**G** **Am** **C** **D**  
when i saw their cities burning, i knew that i was learning

**C** **Am** **D**  
that i ain t a marching anymore

**G** **C** **D**  
now the labour leader s screaming when they close the missile plants

**G** **C** **D**  
united fruit screams at the cuban shore

**G** **Am** **F** **Em**  
call it peace or call it treason, call it love or call it reason.

**C** **Am** **D**  
but i ain t a marching anymore.