

**Always The Winner**  
**Runrig**

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Capo on 1st fret

Intro:

G, D, Em, D, C, D

**G**  
When you close your eyes  
**D Em C G Am C**  
There s a frightened pride that lives for you  
**Am D**  
That your mother s life  
**Am C D C D**  
and your father s eyes can t hide  
**G**  
You had no choice  
**D Em C G Am C**  
didn t ask the dice to fall for you  
**Am D**  
Still your courage comes  
**Am C D C**  
like thunder through the skies

**D G D C**  
You re always the winner,  
**G D**  
the victor and the giver  
**C Em D Am**  
Somewhere through that winter  
**D**  
you ll never be alone  
**C D G D C**  
For evermore the winner  
**G D C**  
The taker and the giver  
**Em D Am**  
Somewhere through that winter  
**G**  
you will not grow old

[verse 2 is same chords as in verse 1]

So you carry time down the tortured line where mysteries show  
Well hidden from life s learned and life s wise  
Mans useless ways and worthless conversation  
Lie well exposed and humbled in your smile

(Chorus)

**C** **G**  
Still you run out in the morning with the boys and the girls  
**C** **G**  
The miracle of innocence on a head of curls  
**C** **Bm** **Am**  
We ll search every reason wherever we roam to find a place  
**D**  
For these broken hearts and bones  
**C** **G** **Em** **C**  
We ll keep a fire on the hillsides after the summers gone  
**Am** **C** **D** **G**  
And we ll wait here till the war-wounded come home

(Chorus)

Enjoy!