

Lay Down
Strawbs

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Title: Lay Down (Cousins)
Band: The Strawbs
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This is an excellent electric folk/rock song recorded by the Strawbs over 25 years ago. I m sure that the chords are far too simplistic but it sounds reasonable. There is as I remember an excellent lead break which unfortunately I can t reproduce. Any updates or improvements very welcome.

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G **C**
By still waters I lay down with the lambs
G **D**
In pastures green I made peace with my soul
C **G**
And I cared not for the night
C
While my guiding star shone bright
G **C**
By still waters I lay down
G
I lay down.

D G D Dsus C
Lay down, I lay me down
D G D Dsus C
Lay down, I lay me down
D G D Dsus C
Lay down, I lay me down
C D G
For my soul.

At the roadside I took toll of my times
In dirty streets I found peace for my soul
May the merciful be right
Are you ready for the night
At the roadside I lay down
I lay down.

Lay down, I lay me down
Lay down, I lay me down
Lay down, I lay me down
For my soul.

In deep sorrow I took flight with the sun
>From mountains high I gained strength for my soul
I proved stronger than the test
When my spirit came to rest
In deep sorrow I lay down
I lay down.

Lay down, I lay me down
Lay down, I lay me down
Lay down, I lay me down
For my soul.