

**The Light Is Always Green**  
**The Housemartins**

Song: The Light Is Always Green  
Artist: The Housemartins  
Album: Now That's What I Call Quite Good (1988)  
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You can either play this song with the chords I've used  
or you can use a capo on the first fret with the following chords:

No Capo / Capo on 1st

<b>Cm</b>	/	<b>Bm</b>
<b>F</b>	/	<b>E</b>
<b>Bb</b>	/	<b>A</b>
<b>Eb</b>	/	<b>D</b>

Intro

**Cm / F / Bb / Eb** (x2)

Verse

<b>Cm</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>Bb</b>	<b>Eb</b>
We dig our models with the brains the size of models			
<b>Cm</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>Bb</b>	<b>Eb</b>
And cars that we can trust with out wives			
<b>Cm</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>Bb</b>	<b>Eb</b>
And we dig converstations with girls from every nation			
<b>Cm</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>Bb</b>	<b>Eb</b>
But not the ones that whisper or tell lies			

Pre-Chorus

<b>Cm</b>	<b>F</b>
Wherever theres a will theres a motorway	
<b>Bb</b>	<b>Eb</b>
Wherever there is greed there is speed	
<b>Cm</b>	<b>F</b>
And theyve always got to be there for yesterday	
<b>Bb</b>	<b>Eb</b>
Welcome to the new scalextrics breed	

Chorus

<b>Cm</b>	<b>F</b>
And the light they always show to them	
<b>Bb</b>	<b>Eb</b>
Is green, green, green	
<b>Cm</b>	<b>F</b>
And the heels they always show to me	
<b>Bb</b>	<b>Eb</b>
Are clean, clean, clean	
<b>Cm</b>	<b>F</b>

And the light they always show to them

**Bb**

**Eb**

Is green, green, green

**Cm**

**F**

Green, green

Verse

**Cm**

**F**

**Bb**

**Eb**

Were only flying past so we dig our service fast

**Cm**

**F**

**Bb**

**Eb**

From the waiters to the women to the wine

**Cm**

**F**

**Bb**

**Eb**

Never mind the match, I've an urgent date to catch

**Cm**

**F**

**Bb**

**Eb**

Get me to the concert hall on time

Pre-Chorus

**Cm**

**F**

Pretending to be pilots in a war

**Bb**

**Eb**

Pretending to weave between the flak

**Cm**

**F**

No-one knows what the missions for

**Bb**

**Eb**

Blinkered horses on the track

Chorus

**Cm**

**F**

And the light they always show to them

**Bb**

**Eb**

Is green, green, green

**Cm**

**F**

And the heels they always show to me

**Bb**

**Eb**

Are clean, clean, clean

**Cm**

**F**

And the light they always show to them

**Bb**

**Eb**

Is green, green, green

Bridge

**Cm**

**F**

Green, green (x4)

Chorus

**Cm** (one strum)

**F** (one strum)

And the light they always show to them

**Bb**

**Eb**

Is green, green, green

**Cm**

**F**

And the heels they always show to me

**Bb**

**Eb**

Are clean, clean, clean

**Cm** **F**  
And the light they always show to them  
**Bb** **Eb**  
Is green, green, green  
**Cm** **F**  
Green, green