

Shirt Of Blue
The Men They Couldnt Hang

Fantastic song by TMTCH. Couldn't find the chords for this so I thought I'd have a go at it myself. I am aware that this is only a rough outline for the song, it is there to be improved on

Intro **D A D A**

D

Hey now Tommy have you got a new shirt

G A

is it's colour a fine bright blue

D

Has your mother sent you off to your school

C D

from the street with a pretty view

D

Shall we wrestle in the old school yard

G A

like the other children do

D

You can scuff your shoes, you can tear your hands

C D

and I'll rip that shirt off you

D

Hey there Tommy since you moved away

G A

they've taken our town and they've made it new

D

Now there stands a chemical plant

C D

Where the cherry orchard grew

D

And I married Lucy from the back of our class

G A

who once wrote letters to you

D

And we've got kids and we send them to school

C D

from the street with a pretty view

F

Dm F

Dm

Oh oh in your shirt of blue, Oh oh in your shirt of blue

F

C

Maybe Tommy, we grew up too quick

Am

G

from the fields where the flowers grow

F **C**

From a butterfly stick to a baton and a brick

Am **D**

Changing uniforms far too soon

D

Hey there Tommy shall we meet again

G **A**

in the morning wet with dew

D

Me at the gates of the colliery

C **D**

And you in your shirt of blue

D

Shall we wrestle in the muddy patch

G **A**

like the other poor men do

D

We can scuff our boots we can tear our hands

C **D**

And I ll rip that shirt off you

F

Dm **F** **Dm**

Oh oh in your shirt of blue,Oh oh in your shirt of blue

F

C

Maybe Tommy,we grew up too quick

Am **G**

from the fields where the flowers grow

F **C**

From a butterfly stick to a baton and a brick

Am **D**

Changing uniforms far too soon

F

Dm **F** **Dm**

Oh oh in your shirt of blue,Oh oh in your shirt of blue

F

Dm **F** **Dm**

Oh oh in your shirt of blue,Oh oh in your shirt of blue

F

Dm **F** **Dm**

Oh oh in your shirt of blue,Oh oh in your shirt of blue