

Streets Of Edinburgh
The Proclaimers

[Piano Intro riff]

F

bar chord 1st fret pick strings 6 3 2 3 4 x 2

[Verse]

F **C** **Bb** **C**
Along these broken pavements, I let my mind run free
F **C** **Bb** **C**
The past and the present, Seem just the same to me
Gm **C** **Am** **Dm**
The people I have loved most, Among these stones they dwell
Gm **Bb** **C**
And in the plainest language, The stories they did tell

[Chorus]

F **C** **F** **Bb**
They pass, they pass They pass, they pass
F **Dm** **Gm** **C**
The streets of Edinburgh, Hold half the world for me
F **C** **F** **Bb**
In scores, in droves The living and the ghosts
F **Dm** **Gm** **Bb** **C** **F**
The streets of Edinburgh Mean most to me

[Piano riff]

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[Verse]

F **C** **Bb** **C**
Depending on your viewpoint, This place is blessed or cursed
F **C** **Bb** **C**
And in the years Iâ€™ve lived here, Iâ€™ve seen the best and worst
Gm **C** **Am** **Dm**
An air of sordid passion, A look of dirty grace
Gm **Bb** **C**
But not right in your face, Itâ€™s not that kind of place

[Chorus]

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[Verse]

F **C** **Bb** **C**
Down greasy potholed roadways, I watch the traffic crawl

F **C** **Bb** **C**
But for the cars and buses, I give no thought at all

Gm **C** **Am** **Dm**
I think about the future, I wonder at her health

Gm **Bb** **C**
How with this human wealth, She does renew herself (hold C chord 4 measures)

[Chorus]

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