

**Chinese Blues**  
**Travis**

**Dm** **C** **G**  
The snow was falling on his shoulders by the side of the road  
**Dm**  
And he watched as the sun went down  
**C**  
Falling on the building  
**G**  
Swallowing the children  
**Dm**  
It s the gun in your back  
It s the heart attack  
**C** **G**  
It s the way you look back before you step out  
**Dm** **C** **G**  
In time to see the number of the bus that s running you down  
  
**Gm** **F** **C**  
A million lonely people with their head in the sand  
**Gm** **F** **C**  
Trying to make some sense of what they don t understand  
**Gm** **F** **C** **Bb**  
Waiting on somebody just to give them a hand, Heyyyy  
**Dm** **C** **G**  
You re designed to fall apart on the day the warrenty ends  
**Dm**  
And you try but you just can t stop  
**C**  
Running round in circles  
**G**  
Knocking over hurdles  
**Dm**  
It s the knife in your back  
It s the heart attack  
**C** **G**  
It s the way you look back before you step out  
**Dm** **C** **G**  
In time to see the shadow of the one that s cutting you down  
  
**Dm** **G**  
The snow was falling on his shoulders by the side of the road  
**Bb** **A**  
And he watched as the lights came on below  
**Dm**  
And the children were sleeping  
**G**  
And the women were weeping  
**Bb** **A**

There was nobody keeping him here