

This Long Happy Life

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♩ = 85

Em⁷ Dmaj⁹ Fmaj⁷ Gmaj⁷/B Em⁷

She lays out sand-wich-es egg mayonnaise just the right amount of mustard and pepper a sprinkling of too much salt

6 Dmaj⁹ Fmaj⁹ G/B A Amaj⁷ F#m⁷ F#m⁷/E G Gmaj⁷ Em⁷ Em⁷/D

(that was the trouble) onion cut so small mixed with Red Leicester all she can do now is remember. She thought he'd be here

13 G G⁷/F E Em⁷ Dmaj⁹ Fmaj⁷ Gmaj⁷/B

for ever Malty hops, frothy beer, hand pulled pints cheese clouds lingering over subdued butter

20 Em⁷ Dmaj⁹ Fmaj⁹ G/B A Amaj⁷ F#m⁷ F#m⁷/E

why isn't he here still living. sad cakes made with yesterday's jam all she can do now is remember

26 G Gmaj⁷ Em⁷ Em⁷/D G G⁷/F E Am⁹ Gmaj⁹ Am⁹

his presence settled here, comforts the grieving. Here's to us all, to long happy lives, here's to the future, all, I've had a long happy life, here's to your future,

36 Gmaj⁹ Cmaj⁹ Gmaj⁹ Am⁹ Gmaj⁹

to long happy times, here in our hearts, here in our lives It's all rather wonderful, this long happy life. to your long happy times, I'm here in your heart, I'm here in your life It's all been wonderful, this long happy life.

1. G G⁷/F E Am Am⁷/G D⁷ Dm Dm/C#

She lays out sand-wich-es, she lays out tea She lays out reminders, of what has been She lays out sand-wich-es,

Dm/C G/B Dm⁷ Dm/C B⁷ Em Em⁷ Dmaj⁹

she lays out tea She lays out reminders, of what has been On down for a night cap in the town

Fmaj⁷ Gmaj⁷/B Em⁷ Dmaj⁹ Fmaj⁹ G/B

wel coming hugs from the familiar crowd accompanied by comforting sounds strumming favourite songs singing familiar rounds

A Amaj⁷ F#m⁷ F#m⁷/E G Gmaj⁷ Em⁷ Em⁷/D G G⁷/F E⁷(#9) CODA Gmaj⁹

A quivering hand reads the letter found: His goodbye to them all, setting it out. Here's to you here's to life.