

**Green, Green** - The New Christy Minstrels // 1963 // key: C

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**C**                    **F**                    **C**                    **G**  
*Chorus:* Green, green, it's green they say, on the far side of the hill  
**C**                    **F**                    **C - G C**  
Green, green, I'm goin' away, to where the grass is greener still

**C - Em F - C**  
1. Well, I told my mama on the day I was born,  
**F - G C**  
Don't you cry when you see I'm gone.  
**C - Em F - C**  
You know there ain't no woman gonna settle me down,  
**F - G C**  
I just gotta be travelin' on. A-singin'...

*Chorus:* [Repeat Chorus]

**C - Em F - C**  
2. No, there ain't nobody in this whole wide world,  
**F - G C**  
Gonna tell me how to spend my time  
**C - Em F - C**  
I'm just a good lovin' ramblin' man..  
**F - G C**  
Say, buddy, can you spare me a dime? Hear me cryin', it's a...

*Chorus:* [Repeat Chorus]

**C - Em F - C**  
3. Here, I don't care when the sun goes down,  
**F - G C**  
Where I lay my weary head  
**C - Em F - C**  
Green, green valley or rocky road,  
**F - G C**  
It's there I'm gonna make my bed - Easy, now...

*Outro:* [Repeat Chorus 2x, second with "Everybody I want to hear it now!!"]

**C - G C**  
To where the grass is greener still [Repeat 3x]

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