

Drunken Lullabies by Flogging Molly

[Intro]

G / / / C / / / G / / / D / / /
G / / / C / / / G / D / G / / /

[Verse]

G
Must it take a life for hateful eyes
Em
To glisten once again
C
Five hundred years like Gelignite
Em **D**
Have blown us all to hell
G
What savior rests while on his cross we die
Em
Forgotten freedom burns
C
Has the Shepard led his lambs astray
Em **D**
to the bigot and the gun

[Chorus]

C **G**
Must it take a life for hateful eyes
C **D**
To glisten once again
G **C** **Em**
Cause we find ourselves in the same old mess
G **D** **G**
Singin' drunken lullabies

[Break]

G / / / C / / / G / / / D / / /
G / / / C / / / G / D / G / / /

[Verse]

G
I watch and stare as Rosin's eyes
Em
Turn a darker shade of red
C
And the bullet with this sniper lie
Em **D**
In their bloody gutless cell
G
Must we starve on crumbs from long ago
Em
Through these bars of men made steel
C
Is it a great or little thing we fought
Em **D**
Knelt the conscience blessed to kill

[Chorus]

C **G**
Must it take a life for hateful eyes
C **D**
To glisten once again
G **C** **Em**
Cause we find ourselves in the same old mess
G **D** **G**
Singin' drunken lullabies

[Bridge]

C **D** **G**
Ah, but maybe it's the way we're taught
C **D** **G**
Or maybe it's the way we fought
C **D** **G** **C**
But a smile never grins without tears to begin
C **D** **G**
For each kiss is a cry we all lost
C **G**
Though nothing left to gain
C **D**
But for the banshee that stole the grave
G **C** **Em**
Cause we find ourselves in the same old mess
G **D** **G**
Singin' drunken lullabies

[Solo only]

[Break]

G / / / **C** / / / **G** / / / **D** / / /
G / / / **C** / / / **G** / **D** / **G** / / /

[Verse]

G
I sit in and dwell on faces past
Em
Like memories seem to fade
C
No colour left but black and white
Em **D**
And soon will all turn grey

G

But may these shadows rise to walk again
Em
With lessons truly learnt
C
When the blossom flowers in each our hearts
Em **D**
Shall beat a new found flame

[Chorus]

C **G**
Must it take a life for hateful eyes
C **D**
To glisten once again
G **C** **Em**
Cause we find ourselves in the same old mess
G **D** **G**
Singin' drunken lullabies
G **C** **Em**
Cause we find ourselves in the same old mess
G **D** **G**
Singin' drunkennnnnnnnnn lulllllllllllabies
G **D** **G**
Singin' drunken lullabies