

Fallujah

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The musical score is written in 4/4 time on a single treble clef staff. It includes guitar chords (C, G, F, Am) and lyrics. The lyrics are: "May-be you'll hear a - bout - me When you watch the ev - 'ning news So I write this let - ter to you my friends The truth then you may choose I had a good time at Ox - ford And the world I did roam When my stu - dies were fi - nished Then I went back home I will fight for my coun - try I'll de - fend this la - a - nd I'll stare at the whites of your sol - dier's eyes With this Ka - lash - ni - kov in my hand With this Ka - lash - ni - kov in my hand".

All I wanted were good things
Land and liberty
And all the sorts of things we learned
At the university
I'm not a fan of dictatorships
I'd rather say live and let live
But for those who would threaten my family
There's nothing I won't give

Chorus

When you break down the doors of my neighbors
When you say that might makes right
When you say you're looking for terrorists
In their bedroom late at night
When you torture my brother at gunpoint
On his head a canvass sack
All I can say to you, soldier Is you'd best watch your back

Chorus

When you come with your tanks on our city streets
And you say these streets are yours
When you say you'll rebuild us with bombers
And oil tankers on our shores
When you have gunned down my child in Fallujah
You needn't wonder why
I look at you through the blades of your 'copter and say
It's a good day to die

Chorus