

## **Ira!** **"The Fields Of Athenry"**

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By a lonely prison wall,  
i heard a young girl calling  
Michael they have taken you away,  
for you stole trevelyn corn  
so the young might see the morn,  
now a prison ship lies waiting in the bay

### CHORUS

Low lie, The Fields Of Athenry  
where once we watched the small free birds fly  
Our love was on the wing  
we had dreams and songs to sing,  
its so lonely round the Fields of Athenry

By a lonley prison wall  
I heard a young man calling  
'Nothing matters Mary, when you're free'  
Against the famine and the crown,  
i rebelled, they cut me down  
Now you must raise our child with dignaty

### CHORUS

By a lonley harbour wall  
she watched the last star falling  
as the prison ship sailed out against the sky  
Sure she" live in hope and pray  
For her love in Botney Bay  
Its so lonely round the Fields Of Athenry

### CHORUS

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