

## Van Morrison & The Chieftains

### "Celtic Ray"

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Words and Music by Van Morrison

When Lewellen comes around  
And he goes through market town  
You'll be on the Celtic Ray,  
Are you ready?

When McManus comes around  
On his early morning round  
Cryin' "Heron 'a' lay"  
You'll be on the Celtic Ray.

1st Bridge:  
Ireland, Scotland, Brittany, and Wales,  
I can hear those ancient voices calling,  
"Children, children"

When the coalbrick man comes round,  
On a cold November day  
You'll be on the Celtic Ray,  
Are you ready?

2nd Bridge:  
Ireland, Scotland, Cornwall and Wales,  
I can hear those ancient voices calling,  
"Children, children, children".

Listen Jimmy, I wanna go home.  
Listen Jimmy I wanna go home.  
I've been away from the Ray too long.

Repeat

I've been away from the Ray too long.  
In the early mornin', we'll go walkin' where  
The light comes shining through  
On the Celtic Ray,

