

Caledonia

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(Dougie MacLean 1977)

[C] I don't know if [G] you can see, the [Am] changes that have come [F] over me
These [C] last few days I've [G] been afraid that [Am] I might drift a[F]way
I've been [C] telling stories [G] singing old songs,
That make me [Am] think about [F] where I come from
[C] That's the reason [G] why I seem so [Am] far away [F] today

CHORUS

[C] Let me tell you that I [G] love you
And I [Am] think about you all the [F] time
Caledonia you're [C] calling me, now I'm [G] going [C] home
But if I shall become a [G] stranger
Know that [Am] it would make me more than [F] sad
Caledonia's been [G] everything I've ever [C] had

Now I have moved and [G] kept on moving
[Am] Proved the points that I [F] needed proving
[C] Lost the friends that I [G] needed losing [Am] found others on the [F] way
I've [C] kissed the lads(ies) and [G] left them crying
[Am] Stolen dreams, yes there's [F] no denying
I've [C] travelled hard sometimes with [G] conscience flying
[Am] Somewhere with the [F] wind

CHORUS

Now I'm sitting here [G] before the fire
[Am] the empty room, the [F] forest choir
The [C] flames have cooled, don't get [G] any higher
They've [Am] withered now they've [F] gone
But I'm [C] steady thinking, my [G] way is clear
And [Am] I know what I will [F] do tomorrow
When [C] hands have shaken [G] kisses flowed [Am] I will disa[F]ppear

CHORUS

(Finish with)

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Caledonia you're [C] calling me, now I'm [G] going [C] home /// [Am]/// [G7]/// [C]

