



Renowned Scottish folksinger **Sheena Wellington** sang the song at the opening of the Scottish Parliament in May, 1999.

The song was also sung at the funeral of **Donald Dewar**, the inaugural First Minister of Scotland.

## A Man's A Man For A' That

Robert Burns - 1795

**C F Am G**

Is **[C]** there for honest **[F]** Pover**[G]**ty

That **[C]** hings his head, an' **[F]** a' that;

The **[C]** coward slave-we **[F]** pass him **[G]** by,

We **[C]** dare be poor for **[G7]** a' that!

For **[C]** a' **[Am]** that, an' **[Dm]** a' **[G7]** that.

Our **[C]** toils obscure an' **[F]** a' that,

The **[C]** rank is **[Am]** but the **[Dm]** guinea's **[G7]** stamp,

The **[C]** Man's the **[F]** gowd for **[G7]** a' that. **[G7]**

Then **[C]** let us pray that **[F]** come it **[G]** may,

(As **[C]** come it will for **[F]** a' that,)

That **[C]** Sense and Worth, o'er **[F]** a' the **[G]** earth,

Shall **[C]** bear the gree, an' **[G7]** a' that.

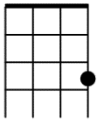
For **[C]** a' **[Am]** that, an' **[Dm]** a' **[G7]** that,

It's **[C]** coming yet for **[F]** a' that,

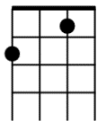
*Slow down* That **[C]** Man to **[Am]** Man, the **[Dm]** world **[G7]** o'er,

Shall **[C]** brothers **[F]** be for **[G7]** a' that.

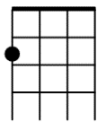
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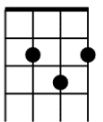
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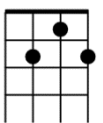
Am



G



G7



Dm

