

The swaggies have all waltzed Matilda away

Intro-->V1&2-->Ch

Intro-->V3&4-->Ch

Intro-->V5&6-->Ch (a cap)

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J=160 Intro

V1. D G D/A Bm D/A G A

V1. 9 D G D/A Bm D/A A⁷ D

Verse

B. 17 D Bm D A

1. You came to this coun - try in fett-lers and chains
 3. Dri ven like dogs from your own na tive home,
 5. Its two hun - dred years since you came to this land Be -

B. 22 G D Em A

Out - laws and re - bels with num - bers for names And
 Hard - ship and po - ver - ty caused you to roam band And
 trayed by the girl with the black vel - vet stand:

B. 26 D Bm D A

on O still the ver to tri - the brack day an - gle were and bea - ten and maimed
 the this day and you o ver don't un the der foam:
 stand:

B. 30 G A⁷ D A⁷

Blood stained the soil of Aus - tra lia

B. 34 D Bm D A

2. Doo - kies and duch - es - ses, flash lads & whores,
 4. Then in the fe - ver for for - tune and fame
 6. Koo - ri and white, old Aus - tra - lian and new

B. 38 G D Em A

worked their plan - ta - tions and pol - ished their floors.
 you caused the poor blacks to suf - fer the same.
 Bro - thers and sis - ters of e - ve - ry hue Im - The

B. 42 D Bm D A

Lived pri - soned in their sha - dows and died in their wars.
 fu - ture on mis - sions or hun - ted game.
 ours, take the wealth from for the few And

46 G A⁷ D A⁷ D [Stop]

B. Blood-stained the soil of Aus - tra - lia.
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 raise the Red flag of Aus - tra - lia.

Chorus (Eric solo 1st chorus)

51 (A) D D/A G D Bm

B. 1&2. Does it quick-en your heart - beat to see tar & con - crete,
 3. Let it quick-en your heart - beat the roads at your own feet,

S. 1&2. Does it quick-en your heart - beat to see tar & con - crete,
 3. Let it quick-en your heart - beat the roads at your own feet,

A. 1&2. Does it quick-en your heart - beat to see tar & con - crete,
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58 G D Bm A

B. co-ver the tracks of the old bul-lock dray?
 tra-vel it light ly and tra - vel it well.

S. co-ver the tracks of the old bul-lock dray?
 tra-vel it light ly and tra - vel it well.

A. co-ver the tracks of the old bul-lock dray?
 tra-vel it light ly and tra - vel it well.

64 A⁷ D D/A G D

B. Have you grown so heart less to chris - ten it pro -
 And don't speak of suc - cess or chris - ten it pro -

S. Have you grown so heart less to chris - ten it pro -
 And don't speak of suc - cess or chris - ten it pro -

A. Have you grown so heart less to chris - ten it pro -
 And don't speak of suc - cess or chris - ten it pro -

70 Bm G D A D

B. gress when the swag-gies have all waltzed Ma - til - da a - way?
 gress 'til the swag-gies can all waltz Ma - til - da as well.

S. gress when the swag-gies have all waltzed Ma - til - da a - way?
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