

A Bunch of Damned Whores

Ted Egan (Arr. Maria Dunn - 2010)

♩=180

Am G Am G

Acc. (+ mandolin)

8 Am G Am G

Acc.

Chorus 1

16 (All) C G F C G

T.

We're a bunch of damnedwhores and we ne-ver weardrawers and they say we're the cause of dis - sen - sion_____ But

25 C G F C F G C *Verse 1*

T.

ne-ver you fuss be - fore you judge us there's a few things that we'd like to men - tion 1. Well me

33 C G F C G

T.

name's Mo-ly Brown_____ and the beak sent me down for nick-in'_____ a gent-le man's watch in the Strand So I'm

41 C G F C F G C

T.

sail-in' a - way from South-amp-ton to - day trans-port-ed for life to Van-Die-man's land_____ So if I'm

50 C G F C G

T.

_____ one of them whores that ne - ver wears drawers it's sim-ply that I can't a - fford 'em_____ But it

58 C G F C F G C *Chorus 2*

T.

seems plain to me that the En-GLISH gen - try are the bas-kets what caused all the whore-dom_____ We're a

66 C G F C G

T.

bunch of damnedwhores and we ne-ver weardrawers and they say we're the cause of dis - sen - sion_____ But

74 C G F C F G C *Verse 2*

T.

ne-ver you fuss be - fore you judge us there's a few things that we'd like to men - tion 2. I'm

82 C G F C G

T. Mo-rag Mac-don-ald_ I was born in the Gor bals and raised in the bro-thels since I was aged ten and

Mand.

90 C G F C F G C

T. now I'm tran - spor-ted for life for me sins they've hand-ed me o - ver to the Gov-ern-ment men_____ I

Mand.

99 C G F C G

T. won-der how just it all is for I must now sub - mit to the e - vils of this cru - el lot They'll

Mand.

107 C G F C F G C *Chorus 3*

T. flog us they'll rape us they'll tell us we're e - vil but they are the sin-ners_ we're_ not_____ *We're a*

Mand.

115 C G F C G

T. bunch of damne~~d~~h~~o~~res and we ne-ver weardrawers and they say we're the cause of dis - sen - sion_____ But

123 C G F C F G C *Verse 3*

T. ne-ver you fuss be - fore you judge us there's a few things that we'd like to men - tion 3. I'm

131 C G F C G C

T. Bri-gid Rourke and I'm from Coun-ty Cork a pris-ner for life just for steal-in' a sheep to feed me old

140 G F C F G C

T. pa-rents who weresqueal - in' with hun-ger Oh Je - sus these times are so hard I could weep_____ For I'm

148 C G F C G
 T. here in the fac-ry out at Pa-rra - ma-tta_ and sold to the sold-iers and guards_____ by a

156 C G F C F G C
 T. dir - ty old har - lot who takes all me mo-ney_ and spends it on li-quot and cards_____

163 Am G Am G
 Acc. (+ mandolin)

171 Am G Am G
 Acc.

Verse 4
 179 C G F C G
 T. 4. My name's Me-gan Rhys and I snabbed by the po-lice_ in the back streets of Car-diff for pin-chin' a dress I'm

188 C G F C F G C
 T. on - ly eight - een and I've been trea - ted mean my life is a sto-ry of un - ha - ppi - ness_____ Thrown

197 C G F C G
 T. out of my pa-rish for ha-vin' a ba - by whose fa-ther was killed in the war_____ I was

205 C G F C F G C *Chorus 4*
 T. dri-ven to vice so_ "twill din pob saes" it's the sys-tem that made me a whore_____ We're a

213 C G F C G
 T. bunch of damned whores and we ne-ver wear drawers and they say we're the cause of dis - sen - sion_____ But

221 C G F C F G C *Verse 5*
 T. ne-ver you fuss be - fore you judge us there's a few things that we'd like to men - tion (All)5. So

229 C G F C G

T. lift up your skirts girls and show your bare bums and slap on your buttocks me whore-y old chums We'll

237 C G F C F G C *Chorus 5*

T. show'em we know'em for just who they are they're the world's great est bast-ards by far We're a

245 C G F C G

T. bunch of damnedwhores and we ne-ver wear drawers and they say we're the cause of dis - sen - sion But

253 C G F C F G C

T. ne-ver you fuss be - fore you judge us there's a few things that we'd like to men - tion

260 Am G Am G

Fl.

264 Am G Am G Am

Fl.

(All melodic instruments)

268 C G F G

Fl.

272 C F G

Fl.

276 C G F G

Fl.

280 C G F G C

Fl.