

*Writers: Rod Stewart, Ronald Wood*Play with capo on 2 to this: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cWKMZYCLoeo>**INTRO: Instrumental verse/riff** on baritones/LowG ukes/Bass?
others strum in **D****D**

1. I think I'm goin' mad and it's makin' me sad,
It's a yearnin' for my old back door.
I realize maybe I was born to lead,
better swal --- low my silly country pride.

CHORUS

Am **G [bass E]** **D**
Goin' home, runnin' home, down to Gasoline Alley where I started from.
Am **G [E]** **D**
Comin' home, runnin' home, down the Gasoline Alley where I was born.

D

2. When the weather's better and rails don't freeze,
And the wind won't whistle 'round my knees,
I'll put on my weather suit and catch you in the train.
I'll be home before the milk's upon the door.

CHORUS

Am **G [E]** **D**
Goin' home, runnin' home, down to Gasoline Alley where I started from.
Am **G [E]** **D**
Comin' home, runnin' home, down the Gasoline Alley where I was born.

INSTRUMENTAL (4 lines of the verse)

Am **G [E]** **D**
Goin' home, runnin' home, down to Gasoline Alley where I started from.
Am **G [E]** **D**
Comin' home, runnin' home, down the Gasoline Alley where I was born.

D

3. But if anything should happen and my plans go wrong,
 Should I stray to the house on the hill,
 Let it be known that my intentions were good,
 I'd be singing in my alley if I could

D

4. And if I'm called away and it's my turn to go,
 Should the blood run cold in my veins,
 Just one favour I'd be askin' you,
 Don't bury me here it's too cold.

FINAL CHORUS

Am **G [E]** **D**
 Take me back carry me back to the Gasoline Alley where I started from.
Am **G [E]**
 Take me back, won't cha carry me back to the
D
 Gasoline Alley where I was born.

Am **G [E]** **D**
 Take me back carry me back to the Gasoline Alley where I started from.
Am **G [E]**
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 Gasoline Alley where I was born.

OUTRO Instrumental ½ verse with strums in D