

Independence Day

Bruce Springsteen

D G D D G D D G D A G

G D

Well, papa go to bed now it's getting late,

G D

nothing we can say is gonna change anything now

G D

I'll be leaving in the morning from St. Mary's Gate,

A G

we wouldn't change this thing even if we could somehow

G D

Cause the darkness of this house has got the best of us,

G D

there's a darkness in this town that's got us too,

G D

But they can't touch me now and you can't touch me now,

A G

they ain't gonna do to me what I watched them do to you

G D

So say goodbye, it's Independence Day,

A G

it's Independence Day all down the line

D

Just say goodbye, it's Independence Day,

A G

it's Independence Day this time

G D

Now, I don't know what it always was with us,

G D

we chose the words, and yeah, we drew the lines

G D

There was just no way this house could hold the two of us, anymore,

A G

I guess that we were just too much of the same kind

G D

Well, say goodbye, it's Independence Day,

A G

all boys must run away, from Independence Day

D

So say goodbye it's Independence Day,

C G

all men must make their way, come Independence Day

D G D D G D D G D A G

G D

Now the rooms are all empty down at Frankie's joint,

G D

and the highway she's deserted clear down to Breaker's Point

G D

There's a lot of people leaving town now, leaving their friends, their homes

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A G

at night they walk that dark and dusty highway all alone

G **D**
 Well, papa go to bed now it's getting late,
G **D**
 nothing we can say is gonna change anything now
G
 Because there's just different people coming down here now,
D
 and they see things in different ways;
A **G**
 and soon everything we've known will just be swept away

G **D**
 So say goodbye it's Independence Day,
A **G**
 papa now I know the things you wanted that you could not say
D
 But won't you just say goodbye, it's Independence Day,
A **G**
 I swear I never meant to take those things away

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