

# Like A Coat From The Cold

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**C C/B Am Am/G F C G**  
I found comfort and courage in bottles of whiskey  
**C C/B Am D G**  
I swear to you friend that that life is some risky  
**C C/B Am Am/G F C**  
I have backed away quickly from those that would burn me  
**C C/B Am D G**  
And stopped up my ears that no one should learn me

CHORUS:

**F G C**  
But the lady beside me  
**F G C**  
is the one I have chosen  
**F G**  
to walk through life  
**F G C**  
like a coat from the cold

I have flown like a bird from every cage that confined me  
and broken every one of the ties that bind me  
I have danced me around some sad ol' sad ol situations  
and taken my share of those sweet invitations

CHORUS...