

# Handbags And Gladrags

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**G F C D** (4x)

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1. Ever seen a blind man cross the road  
**D G F C D**  
trying to reach the other side  
**G F C**  
ever seen a young girl growing old  
**D G F C D**  
trying to make herself a bride?

- Emi D**
- R: So what becomes of you my love,  
**G A**  
when they have finally stripped you of  
**C**  
the handbags and gladrags  
**D G F C D**  
that your poor old grandad had to sweat to buy

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2. Once i was a young man  
and all i thought I had to do was a smile,  
You are still a young girl,  
and you bought everything in style.  
but once you think you re in, you re out,  
'cause that don't mean a single think without  
the handbags and gladrags  
that your poor old grandad had to sweat to buy
3. Sing a song of six pence for your sake,  
and take a bottle full of rye  
four and twenty blackbirds in a cake,  
and bake them all in a pie  
they told me you missed school today  
so what i suggest you just throw them all away  
the handbags and gladrags  
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