

Long Black Veil chords

Dill / Wilkin (performed by The Band, The Chieftains, Johnny Cash, Joan Baez, The Byrds
Dave Matthews Band etc.)

G
Ten years ago on a cool dark night,
D C G
there was someone killed beneath the town hall light

There were few at the scene and they all did agree,
D C G
that the one who ran looked a lot like me

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The judge said "Son, what is your alibi?
D C G
If you were somewhere else then you won't have to die"

I spoke not a word although it meant my life,
D C G
I had been in the arms of my best friend's wife

C G C G
She walks these hills in a long black veil;
C G C G
she visits my grave where the night winds wail
C G
Nobody knows, no, and nobody sees,
D C G
nobody knows but me

G
The scaffold was high and eternity neared,
D C G
she stood in the crowd and shed not a tear
But sometimes at night when the cold wind moans,
D C G
in a long black veil she cries over my bones

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