

There But For Fortune

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C Am C Am
 Show me the prison, show me the jail,
 C Am G G7
 Show me the prisoner who's life has gone stale.

Chorus: C Am
 And I'll show you a young man,
 F G
 with so many reasons why.
 C Am G G7 C
 There but for fortune go you and I, you and I.

C Am C Am
 Show me the alley, show me the train,
 C Am G G7
 Show me the hobo who sleeps out in the rain.

Chorus

C Am C Am
 Show me the whiskey stains on the floor,
 C Am G G7
 Show me the drunkard as he stumbles out the door.

Chorus

C Am C Am
 Show me the country where the bombs had to fall.
 C Am G G7
 Show me the ruins of the buildings once so tall.

Chorus