

# The Last Farewell – Roger Whittaker, Ron Webster (1971)

Intro:      G                      D7                      G                      D7

There's a [G]ship lies rigged & [D7]ready in the [G]harbour [I]  
To [G]morrow for old [G7]England she [C]sails. [I]  
Far a [Am]way from your [C]land of endless [Am]sunshine [Am7]  
To [Am]my land full of [Am7]rainy skies and [D]gales. [D7]  
And [G]I shall be a [D7]board that ship to [G]morrow [I]  
Though my [G]heart is full of [G7]tears at this fare [C]well [I]

[Am] - For [D7]you are [G]beau-ti-[Em]ful. And [C] I have loved you [D7]dearly More [C]dearly than the [D7]spoken word can [G]tell [G7] [Am] - For [D7]you are [G]beau-ti-[Em]ful. And [C] I have loved you [D7]dearly More [C]dearly than the [D7]spoken word can [G]tell [D] [G] [Am-D7-]	<b>Chorus</b>
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I've [G]heard that there's a [D7]wicked war a-[G]blazing, [I]  
And the [G]taste of war I [G7]know so very [C]well. [I]  
Even [Am]now I see the [C]foreign flag a-[Am]raising [Am7]  
Their [Am]guns on fire as [Am7]we sail into [D]hell. [D7]  
I [G]have no fear of [D7]death it brings no [G]sorrow [I]  
But how [G]bitter will [G7]be this last fare [C]well [I]

## Chorus

Though [G]death and darkness [D7]gather all a [G]round me [I]  
And my [G]ship be torn a [G7]part upon the [C]seas [I]  
I shall [Am]smell again the [C]fragrance of these [Am]islands [Am7]  
In the [Am]heaving waves that [Am7]brought me once to [D]thee [D7]  
And [G]when I get back a [D7]gain to good old [G]England [I]  
I shall [G]watch the English [G7]mist roll through the [C]dale [I]

## Chorus

More [C]dearly than the [D7]spoken word can [G]tell [I]{stop}

## Chords

