

All Along The Watchtower

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Key: A
Tempo: 115
Vocals: JM

Form **Am G F G**

V1 "There must be some kinda way out of here"
Said the joker to the thief
"There's too much confusion,
I can't get no relief
Businessmen, they drink my wine,
Plow men dig my earth
None of them along the line
Know what any of it is worth"

Lead *(Over verse chords)*

V2 "No reason to get excited"
The thief he kindly spoke
"There are many here among
Us who feel that life is but a joke
But, you and I, we've been through that
And this is not our fate
So let us not talk falsely now,
Because the hour is getting late"

Lead *(Over verse chords)*

V3 All along the watchtower
Princes kept their view
While other women came and went
Barefoot servants, too
Outside in the cold distance
A wild cat did growl
Two riders were approaching
And the wind began to howl.

Notes 9/30/89 (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D69V5R09naQ>)