

The Shins- New Slang (2000)

Intro: (fade in)

Am Am/E Am Am/E
Am C F C G C Am G (x4)
C C/G C

Turnaround:

A---3-2---

Verse 1:

Am Am/E C F F
Gold teeth and a curse for this town
C G G
Were all in my mouth
C F F Am G
Only I don't know how they got out dear

Verse 2: (only one F in last line)

Turn me back into the pet
I was when we met
I was happier then with no mindset

Chorus:

G C C
And if you'd a took to me like
F C G G
A gull takes to the wind
G G C C
Well, I'd've jumped from my tree
F C F C
And I'd've danced like the king of the eyesores
F C G
And the rest of our lives woulda fared well

Verse 3:

New slang when you notice the stripes
The dirt in your fries
Hope it's right when you die, old and bony

Verse 4: (only one F in last line)

Dawn breaks like a bull through the hall
Never shoulda called
But my heads to the wall and I'm lonely

Chorus

Chords Used:

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| Am | (x02210) |
| Am/E | (002210) |
| C | (x32010) |
| C/G | (332010) |
| F | (x3321x) |
| G | (320003) |



Solo 1 (over Outro)

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E|-----3-0-----
B|--1h3-----3-1-0---1-s6-5-5----8s10--8----5s3---1-3s5-----
G|-----
D|-----
A|-----
E|-----

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E|----0-3-3s5--5-5---555--3-3---555---3-----
B|--1-----5-3s1-3-3s5~~~~~
G|-----
D|-----
A|-----
E|-----

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E|-----
B|----0-1-----0-3--1-----
G|--2-----0-----
D|-----2p0-----
A|-----3-----
E|-----

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Turnaround

Verse 5: (only one F in last line)

Godspeed all the bakers at dawn
 May they all cut their thumbs
 And bleed into their buns til they melt away

Chorus 2:

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G                C                C
I'm looking in on the good life
  F                C                G    G
I might be doomed never to find
                G    G                C    C
Without a trust or flaming fields
                F    C                G    G
Am I too dumb to refine?
G                C                C
And if you'd a took to me like
                F    C                F                C
Well I'd've danced like the queen of the eyesores
                F                C                G
And the rest of our lives woulda fared well

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Solo 2 (over Outro)

E |-----0-----
B |--0h1----1s3-3s5---6-5-5---6-6s8-8s10--8-----
G |-----
D |-----
A |-----
E |-----

E |-----
B |--5-3--1--3s5--3-5s6-6---666-55--6-6s8--8s10--8-----
G |-----
D |-----
A |-----
E |-----

E |-----
B |--1-3s5-3-1-0---0-1-----
G |-----2-----
D |-----2p0-----
A |-----3-----
E |-----

Turnaround

Outro:

Am C F C G C Am G
Am C F C G C Am G