

# Goodnight Irene

Traditional

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## Key/Chords

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Key:	<b>G / Em</b>	Chords:	I <b>G</b>	II <b>Am</b>	III <b>Bm</b>	IV <b>C</b>	V <b>D</b>	VI <b>Em</b>	VII <b>F#m7(b5)</b>	No. # or b
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## Chorus

**1**      **5**      **5**      **1**  
Irene goodnight, Irene goodnight

**1**                      **4**                      **5**                      **1**  
Goodnight Irene, goodnight Irene, I'll see you in my dreams

## Verse #1

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**1**                      **5**                      **5**                      **1**  
Last Saturday night I got married, me and my wife settled down

**1**                      **4**                      **5**                      **1**  
Now me and my wife are parted      gonna take a little stroll downtown

## CHORUS

## Verse #2

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Yeah sometimes I live in the country      and sometimes I live in town  
And sometimes I take a great notion      I'm gonna jump into the river and drown

## CHORUS

## Verse #3

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Stop ramblin', stop that gamblin'      stop stayin' out late at night  
Go home to your wife and family      stay home by the fireside bright

## CHORUS

## Ending

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Goodnight Irene, Goodnight Irene  
I'll see you in my dreams