

# Jerusalem - Steve Earle

Key of D  
4/4

Intro

Bm/ D/ G/D / A7/C# //  
D/// G/D / D/ Bm/ A7/C# //

D G/D  
I woke up this mornin' and none of the ne-ews was good  
D D/C# Bm G/D A7/C#  
Death machines were rumblin' 'cross the ground where Jesus stood  
D G/D  
And the man on my TV told me that, it has always been that way  
D A7/C# G D  
There's nothin' anyone can do or say

Bm D  
And I almost listened to him  
G/D D  
Yeah, I almost lost my mind  
D/C# Bm D  
I regained my senses again  
G/D A7/C#  
And looked into my heart to find

D G/D  
And I believe that one fine day, the children of Abraham  
D D/C# Bm A7/C# G D  
Will lay down their swords forever, in Jerusalem

D G/D  
Well maybe I'm only dreamin' and maybe I'm just a fool  
D D/C# Bm G/D A7/C#  
But I don't remember learnin' how to hate in Sunday school  
D  
But somewhere along the way I strayed, and I never looked back  
G/D  
again  
D A7/C# G D  
But I still find some comfort now and then

Then the storm comes rumblin' in **Bm** **D**  
And I can't lay me down **G/D** **D**  
And the drums are drummin' again **D/C#** **Bm** **D**  
And I can't stand the sound **G/D** **A7/C#**

But I believe there'll come a day when the lion and the lamb **D** **G/D**  
Will lie down in peace together in Jerusalem **D** **D/C#** **Bm** **A7/C#** **G** **D**

### Instrumental

**Bm/** **D/** **G/D** / **A7/C#** //  
**D///** **G/D** / **D/** **Bm/** **A7/C#** //

And there'll be no barricades then **Bm** **D**  
Yeah there'll be no wire or walls **G/D** **D**  
We can wash all this blood from our hands **D/C#** **Bm** **D**  
And all this hatred from our souls **G/D** **A7/C#**

And I believe that one fine day all the children of Abraham **D** **G/D**  
Will lay down their swords forever in Jerusalem **D** **D/C#** **Bm** **A7/C#** **G** **D!**