## **Fairytale of New York**

## **Celtic Thunder**

It was Christmas Eve, babe
In the drunk tank
An old man said to me
Won't see another one
And then he sang a song
The rare Old Mountain Dew
I turned my face away
And dreamed about you

Got on a lucky one
Came in eighteen to one
I've got a feeling
This year's for me and you
So happy Christmas
I love you, baby
I can see a better time
When all our dreams come true

They've got cars big as bars, they've got rivers of gold But the wind blows right through, it's no place for the old When you first took my hand on a cold Christmas Eve You promised me Broadway was waiting for me

You were handsome, you were pretty, Queen of New York City When the band finished playing, they howled out for more Sinatra was swinging, all the drunks they were singing We kissed on the corner then danced through the night

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You're a bum, you're a punk, you're an old crooked drunk Lying there almost dead, on a drip in that bed You scum bag, you maggot, you're cheap and you're haggard Happy Christmas, me lass, I pray God, it's our last

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I could have been someone
Well, so could anyone
You took my dreams from me
When I first found you
I kept them with me, babe
I put them with my own
Can't make it all alone
I've built my dreams around you

Na na na...

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