**River Towns.**

**Mark Knopfler.**

CAPO: 4

Gadd9...................[320203]

C/G.....................[332010]

Em7.....................[020000]

CMaj7/G.................[332000]

| G Gadd9 | G | x4

| G Gadd9 | G C/G | G Gadd9 | Em7 CMaj7/G |

| G Gadd9 | G C/G | G Gadd9 | G |

G x6

I came in three days early

C/G x2

To meet my boat

G x4 Gadd9 x1

It ain’t the life of Riley

Em7 x1 C/G x2

But it’s keeping me afloat

G

It’s quiet over Christmas

C/G

If you got no place to go

G Gadd9

I got my home from river rats

Em7 CMaj7/G G Gadd9 G

The only home I know

G

I found myself a flophouse

C/G

And I hit the streets at nine

G Gadd9

Get some grub and drink a beer

Em7 CMaj7/G

Maybe go down the line

G

These chips will take your money

C/G

Shake a young man down

G Gadd9

It’s the same in every one of these

Em7 C/G

Sorry river towns

G Gadd9

River towns

G C/G

Sorry river towns

G Gadd9 Em7 CMaj7/G

River towns

G Gadd9

River towns

G C/G

Sorry river towns

G Gadd9 G

River towns

| G Gadd9 | G C/G | G Gadd9 | Em7 C/G |

| G Gadd9 | G C/G | G Gadd9 | G |

G Gadd9

Well I picked me up a bottle

G CMaj7/G

To take back to the room

G Gadd9

Then I saw a young girl standing

Em7 C/G

In a doorway in the gloom

G Gadd9

We’d hardly started talking

G C/G

The old scenario

G Gadd9

And I just let her work me over

Em7 C/G

Down by the Ohio

G Gadd9

River towns

G C/G

Sorry river towns

G Gadd9 Em7 C/G

River towns

G Gadd9

River towns

G C/G

Sorry river towns

G Gadd9 G

River towns

| G Gadd9 | G | x4

| G Gadd9 | G C/G | G Gadd9 | Em7 C/G |

| G Gadd9 | G C/G | G Gadd9 | G |

G

When I asked her if she’d like to stay

C/G

She was down my stairs so quick

G

I never asked what got her started

Em7 C/G

With the sorry river tricks

G Gadd9

So I get the bottle open

G C/G

But something’s hit a nerve

G Gadd9

And I’m looking in the mirror

Em7 CMaj7/G

At the face that I deserve

G Gadd9

River towns

G C/G

Sorry river towns

G Gadd9 Em7 C/G

River towns

G Gadd9

River towns

G C/G

Sorry river towns

G Gadd9 G

River towns

| G Gadd9 | G C/G | G Gadd9 | Em7 C/G |

| G Gadd9 | G C/G | G Gadd9 | G |

| G |