

Grandads Flannelette Nightshirt by George Formby & Eddie Latta

Strumming pattern = DUDU (briskly)

C G7 C F Cdim7 C Gdim Dm G7

Now in our family we've got an heirloom, they handed it to me a year ago,

C E7 Am G7 D7 G

it's been in our possession since Grandad was a live, I'll tell you what it is and then you'll know.

G7 C G7 Cdim7 C F C G7 C Dm7 G7

It's me Grandad's flannelette night shirt, in it I was christened one day, down at the church

C Am Cm G7 Am Cm G7 D7 G7 F G7 C G7

they were in a whirl, no one seemed to know if I were boy or girl. They'd had one or two,

Cdim7 C C7 F E7 F Cdim7

they were in a state, "It's alright", said the preacher rather curt, "I've been and had a quiz and I've

C A7 D7 G7 C A7 D7 G7 C

found out what it is by his Grandad's flannelette shirt, lordy lordy, it's Grandad's flannelette shirt."

G7 Cmin7 C F Cdim7 C G7 C F6 G7 C

In Grandad's flannelette night shirt I got married one day we got in the train said my bride with a

Am Cmin G7 Am Cmin G7 D7 G7 F G7 C G7 Cdim7

shout "EE what is that there that you're pulling out?" I said it's old fashioned and tattered and

C C7 F E7 F Cmin7

torn, but I've brought it honey mooning with me Gert, when she said "What is it dear?" Then I

C A7 D7 G7 C A7 D7

whispered in her ear, it's my Grandad's flannelette shirt, lordy lordy, it's Grandad's

G7 C
flannelette shirt.

C G7 C F Cmin7 C Gdim Dm G7 C

The other day I got an invitation to go and join a nudist colo---ny, and as the life was

E7 Am G7 D7 G G7 C G7 Cmin7
healthy and in the open air. I started off as happy as can be, with me Grandad's flannelette night

C F Cmin7 C G7 C Dm7 G7 C Am Cm G7
shirt, I walked up to the door, someone said "Now don't make a fuss just take off your

Am Cm G7 D7 G7 F G7 C G7 Cmin7 C C7 F
clothes and you'll be like us" I was bashful so I stayed by myself, for with the girls I didn't

E7 F Cmin7 C A7 F D7 G7
want to flirt, but when I fell asleep they came and had a peep at my Grandad's flannelette

C A7 D7 G7 C G7 C
shirt, lordy lordy, it's Grandad's flannelette shirt.