

Black Creek

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Key: A 3/4 (not waltzy) capo 2

Intro: C D7 Am D

1. G D C G
Cold rain poured down for thirty six hours
C D C D
Black Creek rose up washed out the bridge
G D C G
We were safe in the cabin without heat or power
C D C D G
No food in the cupboard, not much in the fridge

C D G Em
Chorus The lights went out, the phone went dead
Am D C C/b D G
We didn't care, we ate pickles and bread

T/A Am D C D G

2. The cabin grew cold when the north wind howled
We lit a fire of scrub oak and pine
In a tangle of blankets in front of the couch
We spent the night with our bodies entwined

Chorus The lights went out, the phone went dead
We didn't care, we spent hours in bed

T/A

C G
Bridge Were we ever that young? Were we ever in love?
Am D G
Did we ever swear by the stars up above?
C G Em
Did we ever say, "Till death do us part?"
Am D
Where does love go when it leaves a cold heart?

3. I still live in that place at the end of the line
You've gone to Nashberg or somewhere I'm told
And I still light fires of scrub oak and pine
When the winter rains come and the cabin grows cold

Chorus The lights go out, the phone goes dead
There's a picture of you by the side of my bed

Coda The lights go out, the phone goes dead
Nobody warms your side of the bed