

# Long Black Veil

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Johnny Cash

G-D-G-D D-D **“Just Gray Plays Solo”**

D A G D  
Ten years ago on a cold dark night someone was killed beneath the town's hall light  
D A G D  
There were few at the scene but they all agreed that the slayer who ran looked a lot like me

## Chorus---

G D G D D G D G D  
She walks these hills in a Long Black Veil she visits my bones when the night winds wail  
D G D G A D  
Nobody knows nobody sees nobody knows but me

## Turnaround—G-D-G-D-D-D

D A G D  
The Judge said Son what is your alibi if you somewhere else you won't have to die  
D A G D  
I spoke not a word though it meant my life for I had been in the arms of my best friend's wife

D A G D  
Now the scaffold's high and eternity near she stood in the crowd and shed not a tear  
D A G D  
But sometimes at night when the cold wind loans in a long black veil she cries over my bones

## Repeat Chorus---

G D G D D G D G D D  
She walks these hills in a Long Black Veil she visits my bones when the night winds wail  
D G D G A D  
Nobody knows nobody sees nobody knows but me

D G D G A D D **“Fade Out”**  
Nobody knows nobody sees nobody knows but me