

From Clare to Here

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(Ralph McTell) Four who shared this room and we caught up in the CRAIC
Sleeping late on Sundays and we never got to Mass Chorus
It's a long way from Clare to here
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It's a long, long way
It gets further by the day
It's a long, long way from Clare to here When Friday comes around we're only into fighting
My Ma would like a letter home but I'm too tired for writing Chorus It almost breaks my heart when I think of
my family
I told them I'd be coming home with my pockets full of green Chorus The only time I feel alright is when I'm
into drinking
It can sort of ease the pain of it and it levels out my thinking Chorus I sometimes hear the fiddles play, maybe it's
just a notion
I dream I see white horses dance upon that other ocean Chorus

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