

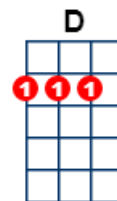
## McNamara's Band (G) (3-1-18)

Bing Crosby: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8TOaWYOvZAI>

Oh my [G] name is McNamara I'm the leader of the band  
And [C] though we're small in [G] number we're the [D] best band in the land  
[G] I am the conductor and I always like to play  
With [C] all the good [G] musicians you [D] hear about [G] today.



When the [G] drums go bang and the cymbals clang and the horns all blaze away  
Mc[C]Carthy puffs the [G] old bassoon and [D] Doyle the pipes will play  
[G] Hennessey, Tenancy tootles the flute me word it's something grand  
A [C] credit to old [G] Ireland boys is [D] McNamara's [G] band.



Tra la la [G] la La la la [D] la  
Tra la la [D] la La la la [G] la  
Tra la la [G] la La la la [C] la  
[D] Tra la la la la la la la [G]



When [G] ever an election's on we play on either side  
The [C] way we play those [G] fine old aires fill [D] Irish hearts with pride  
If [G] old Tom Moore was living now he'd make you understand  
And [C] say there's nothing finer than old [D] MacNamara's [G] band.

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[D] Tra la la la la la la la [G]

We [G] play at wakes and weddings and at every county ball  
And [C] at the great man's [G] funeral we [D] played the march in Soul  
When the [G] Prince of Wales to Ireland came he shook me by the hand  
And [C] said there's nothing [G] finer than old [D] MacNamaras [G] band.

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