

Lay Down (Candles In The Rain)

Words & Music:
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CHORUS:

G D F G
Lay down, lay it down, lay it all down.
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Let your white birds smile up at the ones who stand and frown.
Lay down, lay it down, lay it all down.
G D F Em
Let your white birds smile up at the ones who stand and frown.

 D Em
We were so close, there was no room.
We bled inside each others wounds.
We all had caught the same disease.
And we all sang the songs of peace.

CHORUS:

BRIDGE:

 D A Em
So, raise the candles high!
 G D A Em
'Cause if you don't we could stay black against the night.
Oh, raise them higher again!
And if you do we could stay dry against the rain.

CHORUS:

VERSE 1 REPRISE:

 D Em
Some came to sing, some came to pray.
Some came to keep the dark away.

CHORUS: