## **Those Were The Days**

## **Hermes House Band**

Once upon a time there was a tavern
Where we used to raise a glass or two
Remember how we laughed away the hours
And dreamed of all the great things we would do

Those were the days my friend We thought they'd never end We'd sing and dance forever and a day
We'd live the life we chose We'd fight and never lose
Cause we were young and sure to have our way
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Then the busy years went rushing by us We lost our starry notions on the way If by chance I'd see you in the tavern We'd smile at one another and we'd say

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Just tonight I stood before the tavern Nothing seemed the way it used to be and in the glass I saw a strange reflection Was that lonely fellow really me?

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