## The Night Pat Murphy Died

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4/4 time Chords	Oh the [G] night that Paddy [G] Murphy died, is a [C] night I'll never [G] forget [G] Some of the boys got [Em] loaded drunk and they [C] ain't got sober [D] yet As [G] long as the bottle was [G] passed around every [C] man was feelin' [G] gay [G] O'Leary came with the [Em] bagpipes, some [C]// music [D]// for to [G] play [G]
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G0232	As [G] Mrs. Murphy [G] sat in the corner [C] pouring out her [G] grief [G] Kelly and his [Em] gang came [C] tearing down the [D] street They [G] went into an [G] empty room and a [C] bottle of whiskey [G] stole They [G] put the bottle [Em] with the corpse to [C]// keep that [D]// whisky [G] cold [G]
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	At [G] two o'clock in the [G] morning after [C] emptying the [G] jug [G] Doyle rolls up the [Em] ice box lid to [C] see poor Paddy's [D] mug We [G] stopped the clock so [G] Mrs. Murphy [C] couldn't tell the [G] time And [G] at a quarter [Em] after two we [C]// argued [D]// it was [G] nine [G]
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	They [G] stopped the hearse [G] right outside the [C] Sundance [G] Saloon They [G] all went in at [Em] half past eight and [C] staggered out at [D] noon They [G] went up to the [G] graveyard, so [C] holy and [G] sublime [G] Found out when they [Em] got there, they'd [C]// left the [D]// corpse [G] behind [G]
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<i>Attributed to Johnny Burke, a popular Newfoundland balladeer although the first known recording was by The Flanagan Brothers in 1926.</i>

