

Twenty one

| Bm | Bm | Bm | Bm |

VERSE:

|Bm
Was at night when they called the little sheppard boy
|Bm |Bm A (2/4)
made him leave his sheep
| G D |A D
Was a night wind howling on a wild dog growling
|G D
Or a bird that flew all he never knew
|A Bb(2/4)|Bm |Bm
Were doing to his darkest sleep

|Bm
When the snow played a trick on the little sheppard boy
|Bm |Bm A (2/4)
Must've drove him blind
|G D |A D
From the wildest while to the night of knives
|G D
'Til they could not see what had come to be
|A Bb(2/4)|Bm
all the lovers that he leave behind

CHORUS:

|D G |G E |A (2/4)
Twenty one - His eyes were glowing
|D G |G E |A (2/4)
Who gave him the gun his guts were showing
|D G |G E |E A | A Bb (2/4)|Bm |Bm
Setting sun, we wanna know, where did he go

|Bm
'Cause he was gonna lead us all outta this wilderness
|Bm |Bm A (2/4)
Was that too much to ask
|G D |A D
His sister and his brother his father and his mother
|G D
And if we sentence him to a chance so slim
|A Bb (2/4) |Bm
that he had to wear his own death mask

|Bm
By his own hand he died the little sheppard boy
|Bm |Bm A (2/4)
no one there to blame
|G D |A D
But he will carry the burden of the lie that he left hurting
|G D
No one heard the shot but believe it or not

