

Sensible Advice from the Children of the Starving Artist (Endless Walls) (fast swing)– paul mcwade

D C7 G riff

G
Museum halls have endless walls

C G
littered with bad taste

G
soon in time you'll never find

D
your artwork in that place

G
and who's to say hip hip hooray
C G
but the wind that blows straight through

G
those empty halls and endless walls
D G
your art will never fill

C G
trade in your pallet, for a roller and a tray
D
you can paint those endless walls
G
any color that they say

C G
give up the portraits, I begged you yesterday
D
cause when your painting houses
C G
Ya get a paycheck every day
D C7 G riff

G
you took a job as a painter
C G
just like I hoped you would
G
soon in time you got too bored
D
And didn't know what to do

G
and then one day ya got fired
C G
from the job that weren't too bad
G
cause when they saw what you painted
D G
you really made 'em mad

C G
you painted all the windows black 0 but not the window sill
D G
you painted the garage door green and the automotive grill

C G
you painted a tree stump pink and a painted frog bright white
D C G
the house fluorescent orange very late last night
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G
public misunderstanding
C G
was your critical excuse
G
you said they just don't get me
D
but neither did your muse

G
when your oil hit the canvas
C G
the outcome was quite ill
G
damn those halls and empty walls
D G
that your art will never fill

C G
Trade your plein air easel for a ladder and a brush
D G
Hurry'n paint those empty walls cause they are in a rush

C G
Fill your little bucket with the money that you earn
D C G
Forget about the still lifes and the fame at every turn

G
Museum halls have endless walls
C G
littered with bad taste
G
now in time you still don't find
D
your artwork in that place

G
And I'm to say hip hip hooray
C G
For the paycheck sent to you
G
For the empty halls and endless walls
D G
you painted them while blue

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