If it weren't for Tin

(Chorus)
```
G                  C                    G
```
If it weren't for tin where would we have been,
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                         D                 D7
```
Stanthorpe - Stannum - the black gold they did seek,
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     G                   C              G
```
If it weren't for tin - the place we're living in,
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                              C      D  G
```
Would probably be known as Quart Pot Creek.

(Verse 1)
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G                              C        G
```
They came to the plateau growing wool on sheep,
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                                  D              D7
```
But the Granite Belt's not an easy place to keep,
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      G                       C          G
```
The country abounds with rocks and snakes,
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                              C     D      G
```
It builds strong character and that's what it takes.

(Chorus)

(Verse 2)

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G                         C          G
```
They found plenty of tin in this place we're living in,
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                              D          D7
```
If they had've found gold, we'd probably be sold,
```
        G                     C     G
```
To some overseas company with profits in Japan,
```
                  C      D  G
```
But as it turns out - we're all Australian.

(Chorus)

(Verse 3)

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G                        C          G
```
The mining game is thirsty and dry,
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                              D       D7
```
Sometimes you could just sit down and cry,
```
          G                       C        G
```
So you need some pubs to wash away your tears,
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                        C      D  G
```
And to celebrate success in 130 years.

(Chorus)

(Verse 4)

G   C   G
Now if it weren't for wine where would the pubs be,
                                D   D7
Apple & Grape - 21st Century,
          G   C   G
But if it weren't for tin where would we have been,
                C   D G
Growing wool on sheep at Quart Pot Creek.

(Chorus)

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