

Kansas
Carry On Wayward Son

Words and Music by
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Moderately

N.C.

Car - ry on, my way - ward son; _____

f

there'll be peace when you _____ are done. _____ Lay your wea - ry head _____

_____ to rest; _____ don't you cry no _____ more.

N.C.

Am G F G

Once I rose a - bove the noise and con - fu - sion
Mas-quer - ad - ing as a man with a rea - son,

Am G F G Dm C

just to get a glimpse be - yond this il - lu - sion. I was soar - ing ev - er
my cha - rade is the e - vent of the sea - son. And if I claim to be a

Bb Dm C G

high - er, but I flew too — high.
wise man, it sure - ly means that I don't know.

Am G F G Am G

Though my eyes could see, I still was a blind man. Though my mind could think, I
On a storm - y sea of mov - ing e - mo - tion, tossed a - bout, I'm like a

F G Dm C Bb

still was a mad - man. I hear the voic - es when I'm dream - ing.
 ship on the o - cean. I set a course for winds of for - tune,

Dm C G Am C

I can hear them say: } Car - ry on, my way -
 but I hear the voic - es say: }

G F Am C G

- ward son; _____ there'll be peace when you _____ are done. .


Am C G F N.C.

Lay your wea - ry head _____ to rest; _____ don't you cry no _____

more.

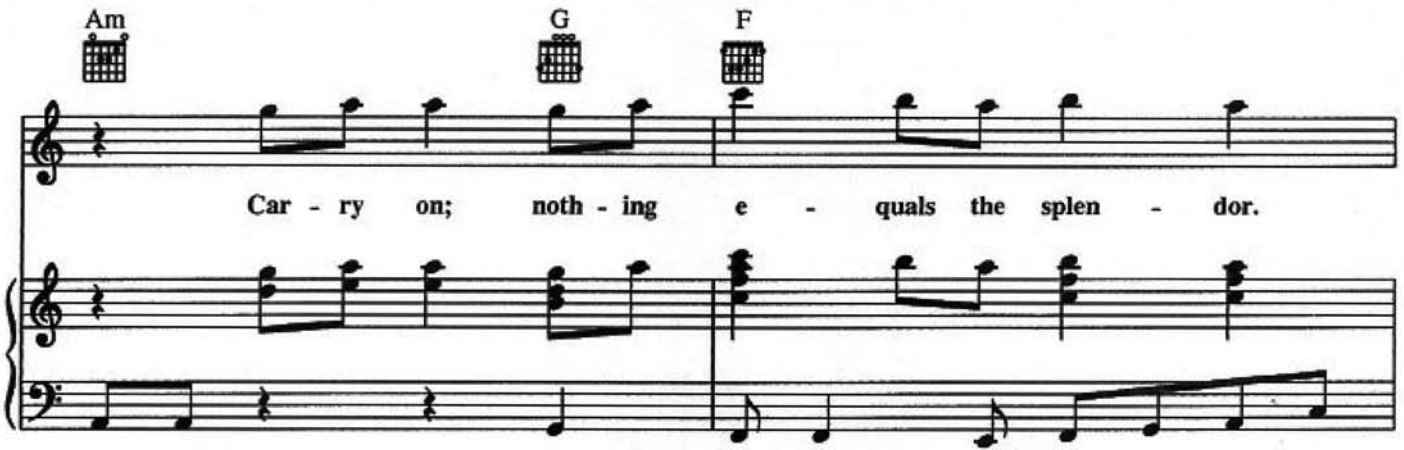


Am G F



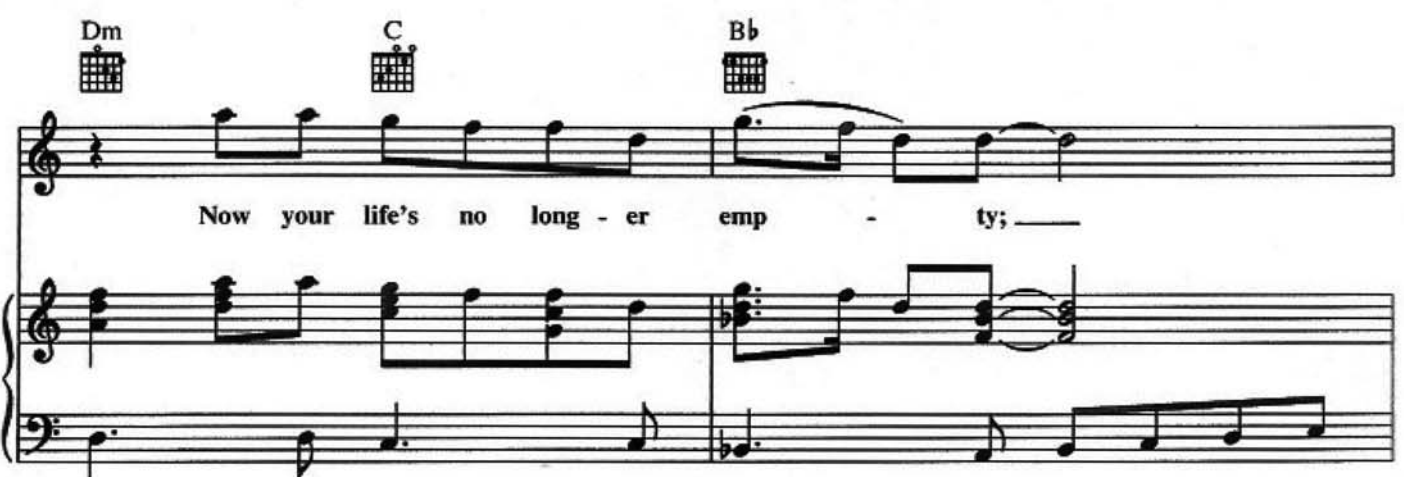
Car - ry on; you will al - ways re - mem - ber. —

Am G F



Car - ry on; noth - ing e - quals the splen - dor.

Dm C Bb



Now your life's no long - er emp - ty; —

Dm C G Am C

sure - ly heav - en waits for you. Car - ry on, my way -

G F Am C G

- ward son; _____ there'll be peace when you _____ are done.

Am C G F N.C.

Lay your wea - ry head _____ to rest; _____ don't you cry no _____

Repeat and Fade

more.