

The Wait

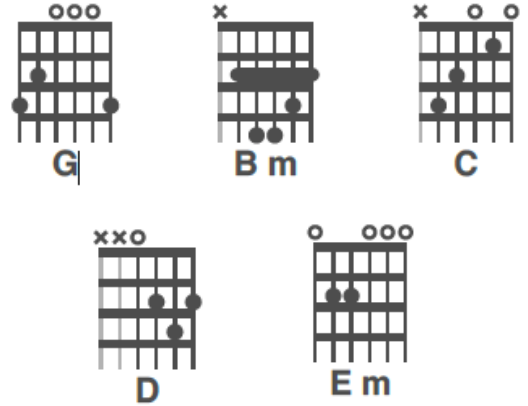
CAPO: 2

INTRO:

G Bm Em G C C C G
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VERSE 1:

G Bm C G
 I pulled into Nazareth, was feeling 'bout half past dead
 G Bm C G
 I just need some place where I can lay my head
 G Bm C G
 Hey, mister, can you tell me, where a man might find a bed?
 G Bm C G
 He just grinned and shook my hand, "No" was all he said.



CHORUS:

G1/2 D1/2 C G1/2 D1/2 C
 Take a load off Fanny, take a load for free
 G1/2 D1/2 C C1/2
 Take a load off Fanny.....And.....and.....and.....You put the load, You put the load right on
 G1/2 D1/2 Bm1/2 G1/2 C C
 Me

VERSE 2:

G Bm C G
 I picked up my bags, I went looking for a place to hide
 G Bm C G
 When I saw old Carmen and the Devil, walking side by side
 G Bm C G
 I said, "Hey, Carmen, c'mon, let's go downtown"
 G Bm C G
 She said, "I gotta go, but my friend can stick around"

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VERSE 3:

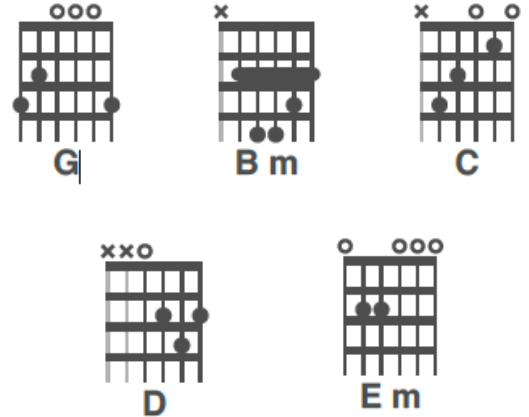
G Bm C G
 Go down, Miss Moses, ain't nothin' you can say
 G Bm C G
 It's just old Luke, and Luke's waiting on the judgment day
 G Bm C G
 Well, Luke, my friend, what about young Annalee
 G Bm C G
 He said, "Do me a favor, son, won't you stay and keep Annalee company"

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VERSE 4:

G Bm C G
 Crazy Chester followed me, and he caught me in the fog
 G Bm C G
 Said, "I will fix your rag, if you'll take Jack, my dog"
 G Bm C G
 I said, "Wait a minute Chester, you know, I'm a peaceful man"
 G Bm C G
 He said, "That's okay, boy, won't you feed him when you can"



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VERSE 5:

G Bm C G
 Catch a Cannonball, now, take me down the line
 G Bm C G
 My bag is sinkin' low and I do believe it's time.
 G Bm C G
 To get back to Miss Annie, you know she's the only one.
 G Bm C G
 Who sent me here with her regards for everyone.

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