

The Weight in A

Intro: |A / C#m / |D / A /

Verse 1:

|A / C#m / |D / A /
--I pulled into Nazareth I was feelin 'bout half past dead

|A / C#m / |D / A /
-- I just need a place where I could lay my head

|A / C#m / |D / A /
--Hey mister can you tell me where a man might find a bed

|A / C#m / |D / A /
--He just went and shook my hand and no was all he said

Chorus:

|A E D / |A E D /
--Take a load off Fanny --Take a load for free

|A E D / |D hold |A E F#m E |D
-Take a load off Fanny ---and, Put the load right on me

Verse 2:

|A / C#m / |D / A /
--I picked up my bags and went lookin' for a place to hide

|A / C#m / |D / A /
--When I saw old Carmen and the Devil walkin' side by side

|A / C#m / |D / A /
--I said "Hey Carmen, come on let's go down town"

|A / C#m / |D / A /
--She said, "I've got to go but my friend you can stick a- round"

PLAY THE CHORUS

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Verse 3:

|A / C#m / |D / A /

--Go down Miss Moses ain't nothin' you can say

|A / C#m / |D / A /

--It's just old Luke, Luke is waitin' on the Judgement Day

|A / C#m / |D / A /

--Hey Luke my friend what a- bout young Anna Lee'

|A / C#m / |D / A /

--Said, "Do me a favour boy, won't you stay and keep Anna Lee company"

PLAY THE CHORUS

Verse 4:

|A / C#m / |D / A /

--Crazy Chester followed me and he caught me in the fog

|A / C#m / |D / A /

--He said, "I see you right if you take on Jack my dog"

|A / C#m / |D / A /

--I said, "No wait a minute Chester though I'm a peaceful man"

|A / C#m / |D / A /

--He said "That's OK just feed him when ya can"

PLAY THE CHORUS

|A E F#m E |D

Verse 5:

|A / C#m / |D / A /

--I catch a cannonball now to take me down the line

|A / C#m / |D / A /

--My bags are sinkin' low I do believe it's time

|A / C#m / |D / A /

--To get back to Miss Fanny you know she's the only one

|A / C#m / |D / A /

--Who sent me here' with her re- gards for every- one

Play the Chorus

|A E F#m E |D