

The Weight in A

Intro: |A AMaj⁹/G# F#m E |D /// (Run down A to D)

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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 grinned 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 AMaj⁹/G# 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"

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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's waitin' on the Judgement Day

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

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

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

--He said, "Do me a favor 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 boy, won't you feed him when ya can"

PLAY THE CHORUS

Verse 5:

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

--Catch a cannonball now to take me down the line

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

--My bag is 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 regards for every- one

Play the Chorus

Ending:

|A AMaj⁹/G# F#m E |D