

Carry On, My Wayward Son

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Carry on, my wayward son. There'll be peace when you are done.
Lay your weary head to rest, don't you cry no more. No!

Opening Riff: [2x]

e-	-----	-----	-----	-----
B-	-----	-----	-----	-----
G-	-----	-----	-----	-----
D-	-----	-----	-----5-----	-----
A-	-----3-----	-----5-----	-5s17-----7-5-3--	--5-----5-----
E-	--5--3--5-----	--5--3--5-----	-----	-----3-----2-

Am G F G
Once I rose above the noise and confusion
Am G F G
Just to get a glimpse beyond this illusion.
Dm C Bb Bb C Dm C G
I was soaring ever higher-----, but I flew too high.

Though my eyes could see, I still was a blind man.
Though my mind could think, I still was a mad man.
Dm C Bb Dm C G
I hear the voices when I'm dreaming; I can hear them say:

CHORUS:

Am C G Am C G
"Carry on, my wayward son. There'll be peace when you are done.
Am C G Am
Lay your weary head to rest, don't you cry no more."

Masquerading as a man with a reason.
My charade is the event of the season.
And if I claim to be a wise man, it surely means that I don't know.
On a stormy sea of moving emotion;
Tossed about I'm like a ship on the ocean.
I set sail for winds of fortune, but I hear the voices say:

CHORUS:

BRIDGE:

Am [stop chord] C G
Carry on! You will always remember.
Am [stop chord] C G
Carry on! Nothing equals the splendor.
Dm C Bb C Dm C G
Now your life's no longer empty; surely Heaven waits for you.

CHORUS:

