

Hard Times Come Again No More

Slowly with feeling

Stephen Foster 1855

DAD

D F#m Bm D Em D G

Let us pause in life's pleasures and count its many tears While we

0	0	0	3	0	3									
3	2	1	1	0	3									
0	1	2	2	2	2	4	2	1	0	0	1	2	5	4

D A D G D

all sup sor-row with the poor; There's a song that will lin-ger for

2	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0						
3	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	1	0					
4	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	1	2	2	2	2	4	2

G D G D A D

ev-er in our ears; Oh! Hard Times, Come A-gain No More.

3	0	3	2	0	1	1	0						
1	0	3	3	0	0	0	0						
1	0	0	1	2	5	4	2	2	0	1	1	1	0

CHORUS

G D

'Tis the song, the sigh of the wea-ry;

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5	5	6+	6	5			
2	3	4	4	4	4	5	4

G D A D F#m Bm D

Hard Times, Hard Times Come a- gain no more; Man- y days you have lin- ger'd a-

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7	4	5	4	2	2	1	0	1	0	1		2	2	2	2 4 2

G Bm G D A D

round my cab- in door, Oh! Hard Times Come A- gain No More.

3				2	3	2	0	0		1				0
1				1	3	3	0	0		0				0
1	0	0	1	2	5	4	2	2	0	1	1		1	0

2.
 While we seek mirth and beauty and music light and gay
 There are frail forms fainting at the door;
 Though their voices are silent, Their pleading looks will say
 Oh! Hard Times Come Again No More.

Chorus

3.
 There's a pale drooping maiden who toils her life away
 With a worn heart whose better days are o'er;
 Though her voice would be merry, 'tis sighing all the day
 Oh! Hard Times Come Again No More.

Chorus

4.
 'Tis a sigh that is wafted across the troubled wave,
 'Tis a wail that is heard upon the shore,
 'Tis a dirge that is murmured around the lowly grave,
 Oh! Hard Times Come Again No More.

Chorus