

Sailin' On Through

Terry Allen & the Panhandle Mystery Band



Intro First line:

[C] [C]

Verse 1:

[C] Maybe Life's just a cliff [F] You gotta climb
[G] go hang by the skin of your teeth; [G] you can fall any [C] time
[C] so better break out the bottle. [F] I'll bring home the glass
[G] and fill it up with the good stuff cause nothing's gonna [C] last

Chorus 1:

[C] just go sailing on through [F] sailing on through [G] sailing on through [C]

Verse 2:

[C] everytime the phone rings [F] seems some friend is gone
[G] lost from the world to ashes dust and [C] song
[C] so everytime there's bad news [F] you run through the yard
[G] go hide with the radio inside your [C] car; turn it up and

Chorus2:

[C] go sailing on through [F] sailing on through [G] sailing on through [C]

Chorus3:

[C] sailing on through [F] sailing on through [G] sailing on through [C]

instrumental Verse

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[C] so everytime there's bad news [F] you run through the yard
[G] go hide with the radio [G] inside your [C] car

Verse 3:

[C] go wander the east coast [F] go wander the west

[G] now you never had to wonder [G] which one you liked the [C] best
[C] and the highway's your mainline; [F] highway's a snake,
[G] hard as a habit; gone bad is to [C] break

Chorus1:

[C] just go sailing on through [F] sailing on through [G] sailing on through [C]

Verse 4:

[C] There's storms in the gulf [F] fires on the plains
[G] half the world is screwed the other half's in-[C]-sane
[C] so better break out the bottle [F] and bring on the glass
[G] and fill it up with the good stuff 'cause everything must [C] pass

Chorus1:

[C] just go sailing on through [F] sailing on through [G] sailing on through [C]
[C] just like Moby Dick, go

Chorus3:

[C] sailing on through [F] sailing on through [G] sailing on through [C]

Outro Repeat Chorus3 & fade out:

[C] sailing on through [F] sailing on through [G] sailing on through [C]