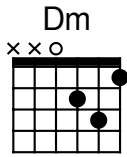


# O Death

Traditional



Chorus:

[Am] O, O, Death, O, O, Death

Won't you spare me over til a [Dm] nother [Am] year

Verse 1:

[Am] O, what is this that I can't see

With [Dm] ice cold hands takin' hold of [Am] me

Well I am death, none can excel

I'll [Dm] open the door to [Am] heaven or hell [Am] [Am]

Verse 2:

[Am] O\_, death someone would pray

Could you [Dm] wait to call me another [Am] day

The children prayed, the preacher preached

[Dm] Time and mercy are [Am] out of your reach

Chorus:

[Am] O, O, Death, O, O, Death

Won't you spare me over til a [Dm] nother [Am] year

Verse 3:

[Am] My mother came to my bed

[Dm] Placed a cold towel upon my [Am] head

My head is warm my feet are cold

[Dm] Death is a-movin u [Am] pon my soul [Am] [Am]

Verse 4:

[Am] I'll fix your feet so you can't walk

I'll [Dm] lock your jaw so you can't [Am] talk

I'll close your eyes so you can't see.

This [Dm] very hour, come and [Am] go with me

Chorus:

[Am] O, O, Death, O, O, Death

Won't you spare me over til a [Dm] nother [Am] year

Verse 5:

[Am] O\_, death how you're treatin' me

You [Dm] closed my eyes so I can't [Am] see

You're hurtin' my body; You make me cold

You [Dm] run my life right [Am] outta my soul [Am] [Am]

Verse 6:

[Am] I'm death. I come to take the soul,

[Dm] Leave the body and leave it [Am] cold

To drop the flesh off of the frame.

[Dm] Dirt and worm both [Am] have a claim

Chorus:

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Won't you spare me over til a [Dm] nother [Am] year

Verse 7:

[Am] O, death please consider my age

[Dm] Please don't take me at this [Am] stage

My wealth is all at your command

If [Dm] you will move your [Am] icy hand [Am] [Am]

Verse 8:

[Am] The old, the young, the rich, the poor

[Dm] All will come to me for [Am] sure

No wealth, no land, no silver no gold

[Dm] Nothing satisfies me [Am] but your soul

Chorus:

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Won't you spare me over til a [Dm] nother [Am] year

Outro:

[Am] Won't you spare me over til a [Dm] nother [Am] year

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