

Don't Let Us Get Sick

Warren Zevon

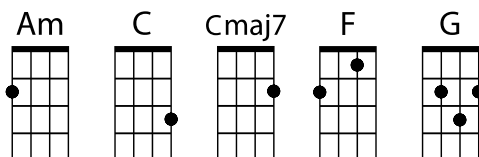
C C F C C
Don't let us get sick, don't let us get old
C Cmaj7 Am Am
Don't let us get stupid, all right?
F C G Am
Just make us be brave, and make us play nice
F G C C
And let us be together tonight

C C F C C
The sky was on fire when I walked to the mill
C Cmaj7 Am Am
To take up the slack in the line
F C G Am
I thought of my friends and the troubles they've had
F G C C
To keep me from thinking of mine

<Chorus>

C C F C C
The moon has a face and it smiles on the lake
C Cmaj7 Am Am
And causes the ripples in time
F C G Am
I'm lucky to be here with someone I like
F G C C
Who maketh my spirit to shine

<Chorus>



This song appeared on Zevon's 2000 album *Life'll Kill Ya*. He was diagnosed with mesothelioma on 2002 and died in 2003.

Zevon was a frequent guest of David Letterman, and Letterman hosted Zevon for an entire hour on Octoveber of 2002, when his death was considered imminent. Letterman asked him, given the often morbid tone of songs throughout his career, if he had any new perspective on life and death. Zevon said, "Enjoy every sandwich."

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