

I've Got to Get a Message To You (C)



D G D . . . G (off-beat accent)

C Dm
The preacher talked to me and he smiled

G C
Said, "Come & walk with me, come & walk one more mile.

C Dm
Now for once in your life you're alone,

G A
But you ain't got a dime, there's no time for the phone.

D Em G A D
I've just got to get a message to you, - hold on, - hold on

D Em G A D
One more hour & my life will be through, hold on, hold on.

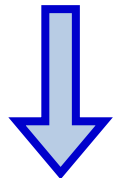
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C Dm
● I told him I'm in no hurry, ... But if ...

G C
.. I broke her heart, won't you tell her I'm sorry.

C Dm
And for once in my life I'm alone, ... And I've ...

G A
.. Got to let her know just in time before I go.



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C

Dm

Well I laughed but that didn't hurt,

G

C

& it's only her love that keeps me wearing this dirt.

C

Dm

Now I'm crying but deep down inside,

G

A

Well I did it to him, now it's my turn to die.

[C] - [C]