

IRONIC

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Music by
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Moderate Rock

Fmaj7

G6

Fmaj7

mp

G/B

C(add2)

G/B

Am7

An old man _ turned nine-ty - eight. He won the
Play It Safe was a-fraid to fly. He packed his
traf - fic jam when you're al - read-y late. A no -

mp - mf

G/B

C(add2)

G/B

Am7

lot - ter - y, and died the next _ day. It's a
suit - case and kissed his kids good - bye. He wait-ed
smok-ing sign on your cig - ar - ette break. It's like

G/B

C(add2)

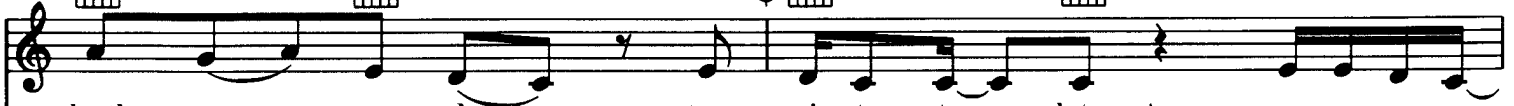
G/B

Am7

black fly _ in your Char - don - nay. _ It's a
his whole damn life to take that flight, and as the
ten thou - sand spoons when all you need is a knife. It's



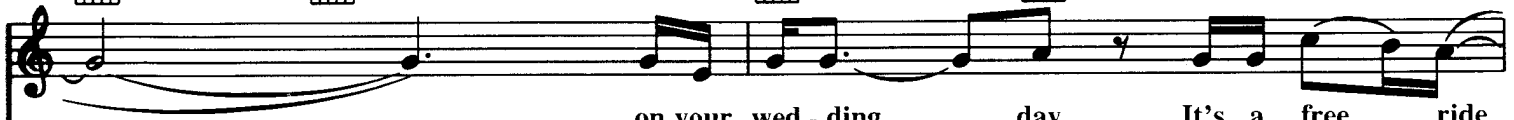
To Coda



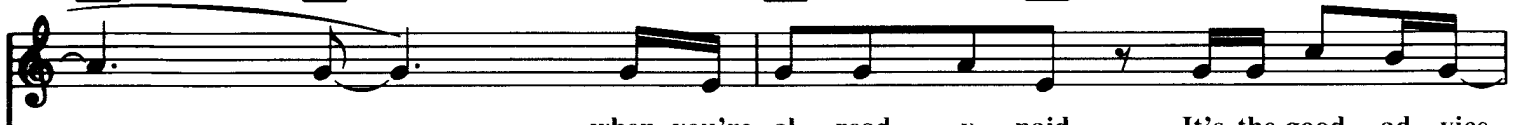
death row par - don two min-utes too late. } Is - n't it i -
plane crashed down, he thought, "Well, is - n't this nice..."}
meet-ing the man of my dreams, and then



ron - ic... don't you think? It's like rain



on your wed - ding day. It's a free ride



when you're al - read - y paid. It's the good ad - vice



G C G Am7

that you just did - n't take. —

Bb F G

Who would - 've thought... — it fig - ures. — Mis-ter

mf

2 G Fmaj7

Well, life has a fun - ny way — of sneak-ing up on —

mf

G6 Fmaj7

— you when you think ev-'ry-thing's O. K. and ev-'ry-thing's go - ing right.

G6 Fmaj7

And life has a fun - ny way ___ of help-ing you out _

G6 Fmaj7

___ when you think ev-'ry-thing's gone wrong_ and ev-'ry-thing blows_up in_ your face.

C

D.S. al Coda

A

CODA G/B Am7

meet-ing his beau - ti - ful wife.

G/B C(add2)

And is - n't it i - ron - ic... don't you

mp

G B



Am7



G B



C(add2)



think? A lit - tle too i - ron - ic... and yeah, I

G/B



Am7



G



C



real - ly do think... it's like rain _____ on your

G



Am7



G



C



wed - ding _____ day. It's a free _____ ride _____ when you're

G



Am7



G



C



al - read - y paid. It's the good ad - vice _____ that you

G Am7 Bb F G

just did - n't take. _ And who would have thought, _ it fig-ures. _

dim.

Fmaj7 G6 Fmaj7

And _ you know life has a fun-ny way of sneak-ing up on

mp

mp

G6 Fmaj7 G6

you. _ Life has a fun-ny, fun-ny way _ of _ help-ing _ you out, _

dim.

Fmaj7

help - ing _ you out.

dim.