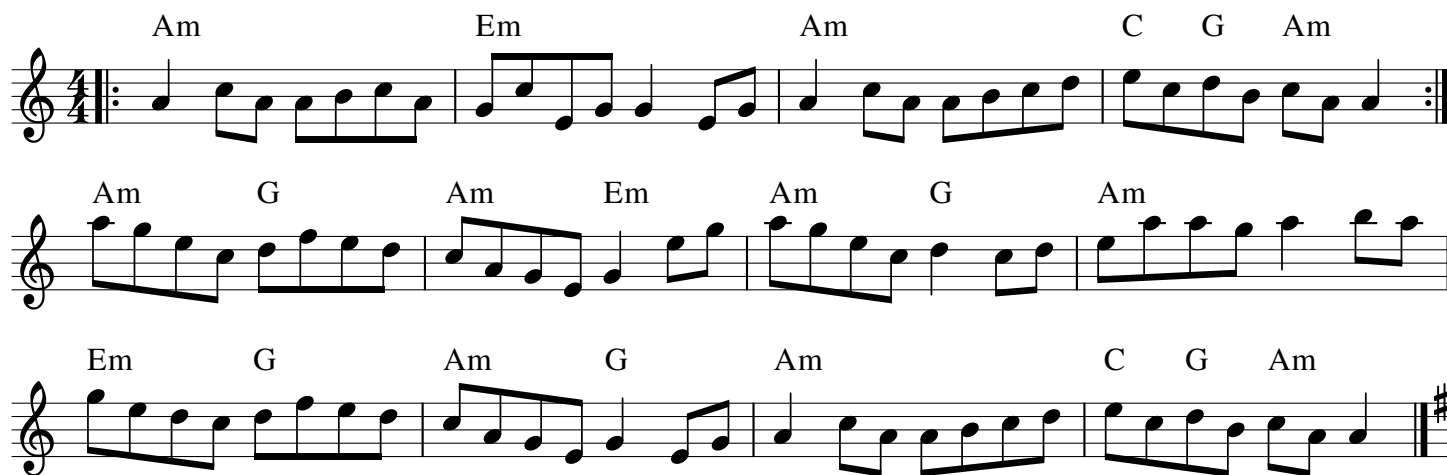


Home for a Rest

Am G C F
You'll have to excuse me, I'm not at my best
C G F C G C
I've been gone for a month, I've been drunk since I left
Am G C F
These so-called vacations will soon be my death
C G F C G C
I'm so sick from the drink I need home for a rest.

Am G C F
We arrived in December and London was cold
C G F
We stayed in the bars along Charing Cross Road
Am G C F
We never saw nothin' but brass taps and oak
C G F G
Kept a shine on the bar with the sleeves of our coats

G C G
You'll have to excuse me, I'm not at my best
C F G
I've been gone for a week, I've been drunk since I left
G C G
And these so-called vacations, Will soon be my death
C F G F
I'm so sick from the drink, I need home for a rest



Em D Em 1. G D 2. G D

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Am Em G Am Em

Am Em Am Em Am

Am Em G 3 Am Em

Am Em Am G Am

Euston Station the train journey north
 In the buffet car we lurched back and forth
 Past odd crooked dikes, through Yorkshire's green fields
 We were flung into dance as the train jigged and reeled

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By the light of the moon she'd drift through the streets
 A rare old perfume so seductive and sweet
 She'd tease us and flirt as the pubs all closed down
 Then walk us on home and deny us a round

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The gas heater's empty, it's damp as a tomb
 The spirits we drank are now ghosts in the room
 I'm knackered again, come on sleep take me soon
 And don't lift up my head 'til the twelve bells of noon

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