# Grandfather's Clock In G

My [G]grandfather's [D]clock was [G]too large for the [C]shelf so it [G]stood ninety [D]years on the [G]floor.

It was taller by [D]half than the [G]old man him[C]self though it [G]weighed not a [D]pennyweight [G]more.

It was bought on the morn that my [C]grandpa was [G]born and was always his treasure and [D]pride

But it [G]stopped [D]short [G]never to go [C]again when the [G]old [D]man [G]died.

## **CHORUS:**

Ninety [G]years without [C]slumber[G]ing, (chimes) His life seconds [C]number[G]ing, (chimes) But it [G\*]stopped [D\*]short, [G]never to go [C]again when the [G]old [D]man [G]died.

#### BREAK:

In [G]watching its [D]pendulum [G]swing to and [C]fro many [G]hours he had [D]spent as a [G]boy;
And in [G]childhood and [D]manhood the [G]clock seemed to [C]know and to [G]share every [D]sorrow and [G]joy.
For it [C]struck twenty[G]four when he [D]entered the [G]door with his [C]blushing and [G]beautiful [D]bride
But it [G\*]stopped [D\*]short [G]never to go
[C]again when the [G]old [D]man [G]died.

# CHORUS: BREAK:

My [G]grandfather [D]said that of [G]those he could [C]hire not a [G]servant so [D]faithful he [G]found;
For it [G]wasted no [D]time and [G]had but one [C]desire at the [G]end of each [D]week to be [G]wound.
And it [C]kept in its [G]place not a [D]frown upon its [G]face and its [C]hand never [G]hung by its [D]side.
But it [G\*]stopped [D\*]short [G]never to go [C]again when the [G]old [D]man [G]died.

### CHORUS:

when the [G]old [D]man [G]died.

### BREAK:

Well, it [G]rang an [D]alarm in the [G]dead of the [C]night, an [G]alarm that for [D]years had been [G]dumb.

And we [G]knew that his [D]spirit was [G]pluming for [C]flight, that his [G]hour of [D]departure had [G]come.

Still the [G]clock kept the time with a [C]soft and muffled [G]chime As we silently stood by his [D]side.

But it [G\*]stopped [D\*]short [G]never to go [C]again when the [G]old [D]man [G]died.

But it [G\*]stopped [D\*]short [G]never to go [C]again