

## THE WEIGHT

[C]I pulled into [Em]Nazareth, was [F]feelin' about half past [C]dead;  
I just need some [Em]place where [F]I can lay my [C]head.  
"hey, mister can you [Em]tell me where a [F]man might find a [C]bed?"  
He just grinned, [Em]shook my hand, and [F]"no!" was all he [C]said.

CHORUS:

[C]Take a [G]load off [F]Fanny, [C]take a [G]load for [F]free;  
[C]Take a [G]load off [F]Fanny, and (and) (and)  
you put the load (put the load) right on [C]me. **[walk down to F]**

[C]I picked up my [Em]bag, i went [F]lookin' for a place to [C]hide;  
When I saw [Em]Carmen and the devil [F]walkin' side by [C]side.  
I said, "Hey, [Em]Carmen, come [F]on, let's go [C]downtown."  
She said, "I [Em]gotta go, but my [F]friend can stick [C]around."

CHORUS:

[C]Go down, Miss [Em]Moses, there's [F]nothin' you can [C]say  
It's just ol' [Em]Luke, and luke's [F]waitin' on the judgement [C]day.  
"well, luke, my [Em]friend, what [F]about young Anna [C]Lee?"  
He said, "Do me a [Em]favor, son, won't you [F]stay an' keep Anna Lee [C]company?"

CHORUS:

[C]Crazy Chester [Em]followed me, and he [F]caught me in the [C]fog.  
He said, "I will [Em]fix your rack, if [F]you'll take Jack, my [C]dog."  
I said, "wait a minute, [Em]Chester, you know [F]I'm a peaceful [C]man."  
He said, "that's [Em]okay, boy, won't you [F]feed him when you [C]can."

CHORUS:

[C]Catch a [Em]cannon ball now, to [F]take me down the [C]line  
My bag is [Em]sinkin' low and I [F]do believe it's [C]time.  
To get back to Miss [Em]Fanny, you know [F]she's the only [C]one.  
Who sent me [Em]here with her [F]regards for every [C]one.

CHORUS: