

Will the Circle Be Unbroken

I was standing by my window
On one cold and cloudy day
When I saw that hearse come rolling
For to carry my mother away

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By and by, lord, by and by
There's a better home a-waiting
In the sky, lord, in the sky**

I said to that undertaker
Undertaker please drive slow
For this lady you are carrying
Lord, I hate to see here go

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Lord, I followed close behind her
Tried to hold up and be brave
But I could not hide my sorrow
When they laid her in the grave

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Went back home, my home was lonesome
Since my mother, she was gone
All my brothers, sisters crying
What a home so sad and lone

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