

# Carry Me Back

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The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of three flats (Bb, Eb, Ab). It consists of five staves of music with lyrics underneath. Chord symbols are placed above the notes. The first staff begins with a 7-measure rest followed by a repeat sign. The second staff has a 7-measure rest. The fourth staff includes a '4 bar tag on last chorus' label. The fifth staff ends with a double bar line.

Well there's a **Bb<sub>M1</sub>** big black spot on the road-way down by the te-le-**F** phone pole and there's a  
**Bb<sub>M1</sub>** sweet young thing from the **Eb** ci-ty **Bb<sub>M1</sub>** di-dn't know she's ne-ver get old **F** and it's a  
**Bb<sub>M1</sub>** rain-ing it's a **Eb** pour-ing it's co-**Bb<sub>M1</sub>** ming up to my toe **F** so  
**Bb<sub>M1</sub>** bun-dle me up in a **Eb** blan-ket of sins and bu-ry me deep in the coal **Bb<sub>M1</sub>**  
**Bb<sub>M1</sub>** Ca-rry me back to old Camp Hill and the ones that I left be - hind

## Verse 2

And there's a dog that sits by the front gate, weekdays at quarter to five  
Master was tossed and Master was lost and sank in the salty brine  
And it's raining, it's pouring, it's coming up to my knee  
Paddle me out in a coffin canoe; I just can't get no relief

## Verse 3

Out in Old Camp Hill there's a window sill that looks out over a glade  
It was planted there by Old Miss Dare and houses her to this very day  
And it's raining, it's pouring, it's coming up to my thigh  
Take mamma's ring and a soldier's things and send me into the fight

## Verse 4

Well there's a young man there with the vacant stare, he cried enough to go blind  
Lost his sweet young thing from the city he's just about to lose his mind  
Said it's raining, it's pouring, it's coming up to my throat  
Carry me back to Old Camp Hill and bail out this sinking boat

## Tag Chorus

And it's raining, it's pouring, it's coming up to my eye  
Carry me back to Old Camp Hill and the ones that are left behind  
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