

The Weight - The Band // 1968 // key: A

Intro: | **A** - **A/G#** | **F#m7** - | **E** | **D** | **D** | 2x

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| A | C#m | D | A |
| 1. I pulled in to | Nazareth, was | feeling 'bout half past | dead |
| I just need some | place where | I can lay my | head |
| "Hey, mister, can you | tell me where a | man might find a | bed?" |
| He just grinned and | shook my hand, and | "no" was all he said | |

Chorus: **A** **A/G#** **D** **A** **A/G#** **D** **A** **A/G#** **D**
 Take a load off Fanny, Take a load for free, Take a load off Fanny...

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	and			you put load	right on	me	
		and			you put the load	right on	me
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Interlude: | **A** - **A/G#** | **F#m7** - | **E** | **D** | **D** |

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| 2. I picked up my | bag, I went | looking for a place to | hide |
| When I saw | Carmen and the Devil | walking side by si- | de |
| I said, "Hey, | Carmen, come | on, let's go down | town?" |
| She said, | "I gotta go, but my | friend can stick | around" |

Chorus: [Repeat Chorus]

Interlude: [Repeat Interlude]

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| A | C#m | D | A |
| 3. Go down, Miss | Moses, there's | nothin' you can | say |
| It's just ol' | Luke, and Luke's | waitin' on the Judgement | Day |
| "Well, Luke, my | friend, what a- | bout young Anna | Lee?" |
| He said, "Do me a | favor, son, won't ya | stay and keep Anna Lee | company" |

Chorus: [Repeat Chorus]

Interlude: [Repeat Interlude]

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| 4. Crazy Chester | followed me, and he | caught me in the | fog |
| He said, "I will | fix your rack, | if you'll take Jack, my | dog" |
| I said, | "Wait a minute, Chester, | you know I'm a peaceful | man" |
| He said, "That's o- | kay, boy, | won't you feed him when you | can" |

Chorus: [Repeat Chorus]

Interlude: [Repeat Interlude 2x]

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| A | C#m | D | A |
| 5. Catch a | Cannonball, now, to | take me down the | line |
| My bag is | sinkin' low and I | do believe it's | time |
| To get back to Miss | Fanny, you know | she's the only | one |
| Who sent me | here with her | regards for every - | one |

Chorus: [Repeat Chorus]

Interlude: [Repeat Interlude 2x]