

# A Song For Carson

Lyrics and Music by  
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♩ = 100

Piano

The piano introduction consists of a four-measure sequence. The right hand has whole rests in all four measures. The left hand plays a steady eighth-note accompaniment: C4-D4-E4-F4-G4-A4-B4-C5 in the first measure, and then repeats the same sequence in the following three measures. A repeat sign is placed at the beginning of the second measure.

Chord diagrams: C (x02321), G7 (320033), F (112432), C (x02321)

Car - son is my name I know,  
As I trav - el through the years,  
Won't be long be fore I'm old,  
I have so much room to grow,  
I'll have doubts and I'll have fears,  
Hap - pens quick, so I've been told,

The piano accompaniment for the first line continues the eighth-note pattern from the introduction, with the right hand playing the melody notes.

Chord diagrams: F (112432), C (x02321), Dm (xx0232), G7 (320033)

Things to learn and sites to see,  
But I will learn and I'll be strong,  
Life will be a mem - or - y,  
Life's a won - d'rous place to — me!  
I will know what's right from wrong!  
of things I've learned and sites I've — seen,

The piano accompaniment continues with the eighth-note pattern, with the right hand playing the melody notes.

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C G<sup>7</sup> F C

Say my name, I'll turn to you, Smile at me I'll smile back too,  
Remem-ber when I was so small, Can you be - lieve I'm now this tall?  
So I will live each day with pride, Lov - ing all from deep in - side,

F C Dm G<sup>7</sup>

Open your arms I'll run to you, I feel safe when you love me too!  
Life moves fas - ter than it seems, But I have hopes and I have\_\_ dreams!  
Liv - ing life as best I can, Walk - ing with you hand in\_\_ hand!

## Chorus:

F C F C

Carson! sing my name out loud! Carson! Sing it strong and proud!

Dm G<sup>7</sup> C Am Dm G<sup>7</sup> C

Carson! that is who I am! Carson! I'll be all that I can!  
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