Will the Circle Be Unbroken (Glory, Glory)

Nitty Gritty Dirt Band

I was standing by my window

On one cold and cloudy day

When I saw that hearse come rolling

For to carry my mother awayWill the circle be unbroken

By and by, Lord, by and by

There's a better home a-waiting

In the sky, Lord, in the skyI said to that undertaker

Undertaker please drive slow

For this lady you are carrying

Lord, I hate to see here goWill the circle be unbroken

By and by, Lord, by and by

There's a better home a-waiting

In the sky, Lord, in the skyOh, 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 graveWill the circle be unbroken

By and by, Lord, by and by

There's a better home a-waiting

In the sky, Lord, in the skyI went back home, my home was lonesome

Missed my mother, she was gone

All of my brothers, sisters crying

What a home so sad and loneWill the circle be unbroken

By and by, Lord, by and by

There's a better home a-waiting

In the sky, Lord, in the skyWe sang the songs of childhood

Hymns of faith that made us strong

Ones that mother Maybelle taught us

Hear the angels sing alongWill the circle be unbroken

By and by, Lord, by and by

There's a better home a-waiting

In the sky, Lord, in the skyWill the circle be unbroken

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In the sky, Lord, in the sky

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