

**The Spirit Carries On**  
**Dream Theater**

THE SPIRIT CARRIES ON (CHORDS)

[Verse]

**D** **D/F#**  
Where did we come from? Why are we here?  
**G** **D** **D/C#**  
Where do we go when we die?  
**Bm** **Bm/A**  
What lies beyond? What lay before?  
**E/G#** **A4** **A**  
Is anything certain in life?

They say life is too short the here and the now,  
and you re only given one shot.  
But could there be more? Have I lived before?  
Or could this be all that we ve got?

[Chorus]

**G** **A** **D** **D/C#** **Bm**  
If I die tomorrow, I d be all right because I believe  
**G** **Em** **D**  
that after we re gone, the spirit carries on

[Interlude]

**D** **D9** **D4** **Em .**  
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[Verse]

I used to be frightened of dying.  
I used to think death was the end.  
But that was before, I m not scared anymore.  
I know that my soul will transcend.

I may never find all the answers,  
I may never understand why.  
I may never prove what I know to be true,  
but I know that I still have to try.

[Chorus]

If I died tomorrow I d be all right because I believe  
                  **G**                  **Em**                  **D**                  **D7**  
that after we re gone, the spirit carries on

[Bridge]

**Em**                                  **D#**  
Move on, be brave! Don t weep at my grave!  
          **D**                                  **E**  
because I m no longer here.  
          **G**                  **Em**                                  **Bm**  
But please never let your memory of me disappear.

[Guitar Solo]

(same chords)

[Verse]

Safe in the light that surrounds me.  
Free of the fear and the pain.  
The question in mind has helped me to find  
the meaning in my life again.

Victoria s real! I finally feel  
at peace with the girl in my dreams.  
And now that I m here, it s perfectly clear  
I ll find out what all of this means.

[Chorus]

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                  **G**                  **Em**                                  **D**  
that after we re gone, the spirit carries on

[Outro]

<b>D</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>Em</b>		
<b>D</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>A</b>		
<b>D</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>Em</b>		
<b>D</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>D</b>	

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THE FIRST ONE WAS A BIT WRONG