

The Blizzard
Harlan Howard

C **F** **C**
There s a blizzard comin on, how I m wishin I was home-

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for my pony s lame and he can t hardly stand.

C **F** **C**
Listen to that Norther sigh- if we don t get home, we ll die.

G **Am**
But it s only seven miles to MaryAnn.

G **Am** **Em6** **C**
It s only seven miles to MaryAnn.

You can bet we re on her mind, cause it s nearly supper time.
And I ll bet there s hot biscuits in the pan.
Lord, my hands feel like their froze, there s a numbness in my toes.
but it s only five more miles to MaryAnn.
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That winds howlin and it seems, mighty like a woman s scream.
We best be movin faster, if we can.
Dan, just think about that barn, with that hay so soft and warm.
It s only three more miles to MaryAnn.
It s only three more miles to MaryAnn.

[spoken]
Well Dan, get up, you awnry cuss, or you ll be the death of us.
Well I m so weary, I ll help ya , if I can.
Well, alright Dan, perhaps it s best, that we stop awhile and rest.
For it s still a-hundred yards to MaryAnn.

[sung]
It s still a-hundred yards to MaryAnn.

[spoken]
Well, late that night the storm was gone, and they found im, there at dawn.
Well, he d a-made it, but he just couldn t leave ol Dan.
Yes, they found him there, on the plains, with his hands froze to the reins.
He was just a-hundred yards from MaryAnn.

[sung]
He was just a-hundred yards from MaryAnn.

Make sure when this song is sung to not use the word, MaryAnn s .
He is not trying to get to the place and much as he is the woman .