

Will The Circle Be Unbroken
Johnny Cash

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1. I was standing by my window on one cold and cloudy day,
 A E F#m A
E A
 when I saw the hearse come rollin for to carry my mother away.

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Will the circle be unbroken? By and by Lord, by and by.
 A E F#m A E
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There s a better home a-waitin , in the sky Lord, in the sky.

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2. I said to the undertaker, Undertaker, please drive slow,
 A E F#m A E
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 for this lady you are carrying, Lord, I hate to see her go.

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3. Well, I followed close behind her, tried to hold up and be brave,
 A E F#m A E
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 but I could not hide my sorrow when they laid her in the grave.

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4. I went back home, my home was lonesome,
 D A
 missed my mother she was gone.
 A E F#m A E
A
 All my brothers and sisters crying in our home so sad and lone.

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5. We sang the songs of childhood, hymns of faith that made us strong,
 A E F#m A E
E A
 ones that our mother had taught us, hear the angels sing along.

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6. One by one the seats were empty, one by one they went away,
 A E F#m A E
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 now my family, they are parted, will they meet again someday?