

Major Tom

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Intro " E A

Vs. " E A " C D

Ch " G Dm A C

**E**

Standing there alone, the ship is waiting

**A**

All systems are go, are you sure?

**E**

**A**

Control is not convinced, but the computer has the evidence

**C**

**D**

**E**

No need to abort, the count down starts.

Watching in a trance, the crew is certain

Nothing left to chance, all is working

Trying to relax, up in the capsule, Send me up a drink

Jokes major tom, the count goes on

Chorus

**G**

**Dm**

**A**

**C**

Four three two one earth below us| drifting, falling

**G**

**Dm**

**A**

**C**

**E**

Floating weightless| calling, calling home.

Second stage is cut, we're now in orbit

Stabilizers up, running perfect

Starting to collect, requested data What will it affect?

When all is done, thinks major tom. .

Back at down control, there is a problem

Go to rockets full, not responding

Hello major tom, are you receiving? Turn your thrusters on

We're standing by, there's no reply.

Chorus

Four three two one earth below us| drifting, falling

Floating weightless| calling, calling home.

Interlude

Across the stratosphere, a final message

"Give my wife my love| and nothing more|".

Far beneath the ship, the world is mourning  
They don't realize, he's alive  
No one understands, but major Tom sees.  
Now the life commands, this is my home, I'm coming home

Chorus

Earth below us | drifting, falling  
Floating weightless | coming home  
Earth below us | drifting, falling  
Floating weightless | coming home.

Earth below us | drifting, falling  
Floating weightless | coming, coming home.