

**Epitaph To A Friend  
Saltatio Mortis**

[Intro]

**Am G Am** (2x)

[Verse 1]

**Am G Am**  
An honest man here lies at rest  
**Am G Am**  
As e'er God with His image blest  
**C G**  
The friend of man, the friend of truth  
**Am G Am**  
The friend of age, and the guide of youth  
**C G**  
Few hearts like his, with virtue warm'd  
**Am G Am**  
Few heads with knowledge so inform'd  
**C G**  
If there's another world, he lives in bliss  
**Am G Am**  
If there is none, he made the best of this

[Bridge]

**Am G Am G Am**  
**C G Am G Am**

[Verse 2]

**Am G Am**  
We shared a dream, we laughed and cried  
**Am G Am**  
We've been through darkness, walked in light  
**C G**  
He had a brother's fearless mind  
**Am G Am**  
When others left he stood with pride  
**C G**  
Let's raise the glass, put pain aside  
**Am G Am**  
Drink up, till all the tears have dried  
**C G**  
A joyful heart should beat within your chest  
**Am G Am**  
Until the day it goes to rest

[Bridge]

**Am G Am G Am**  
**C G Am G Am**

[Verse 3]

Let s raise the glass, put pain aside  
Drink up, til all the tears have dried  
A joyful heart should beat within your chest  
Until the day it goes to rest  
Until the day we all will go to rest

[Outro]

**Am G Am G Am**

**G Am C Am**

**G Am C G Am**