

**I Hope That I  
They Might Be Giants**

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I Hope That I Get Old Before I Die by They Might Be Giants

[Convention: each chord is two beats/half a measure. A dash indicates that the chord is held for another two beats; two chords with a slash between them are held for one beat/a quarter of a measure each.]

1.  
**D** - **A** -  
Some days I feel like bein wispy  
  
**G** - **D** -  
and once in a while I feel like bein dry  
  
**F#** - **G** -  
but we re doomed and we re drowned by this feeling we surround  
  
**D** **A** **D** -  
so I hope that I get old before I die

Chorus:

A - - -  
oh

**D** - **G** -  
It s a long long rope they use to hang you soon I hope  
  
**A** - **D** -  
and I wonder why this hasn t happened, why why why  
  
**D** - **G** **Gm**  
and I think about the dirt that I ll be wearing for a shirt  
  
**D** **A** **D** -  
and I hope that I get old before I die

2.  
Clear off the kitchen table darling  
for on the kitchen table I must lie  
I m tired for my wife just served the banquet of my life  
and I hope that I get old before I die

( Chorus )

-E.M.