

HARD TIMES COME AGAIN NO MORE

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C F C
 Let us pause in life's pleasures and count its many tears
 G C
 While we all sup sorrow with the poor.
 F C
 There's a song that will linger forever in our ears,
 G C
 Oh, hard times, come again no more.

CHORUS:

C F C
 'Tis the song, the sigh of the weary.
 G
 Hard times, hard times, come again no more.
 C F C
 Many days you have lingered all around my cabin door.
 G C
 Oh, hard times, come again no more.

C F C
 While we seek mirth and beauty and music light and gay.
 G C
 There are frail forms fainting at the door.
 C F C
 Though their voices are silent, their pleading looks will say.
 G C
 Oh, hard times, come again no more.

CHORUS

C F C
 There's a pale sorrowed maiden who toils her life away
 G C
 With a worn out heart, whose better days are o'er.
 F C
 Though her voice it would be merry, 'tis sighing all the day,
 G C
 Oh, hard times, come again no more.

CHORUS (Acapella)

C F C
 'tis the sigh that is wafted across the troubled wave
 G C
 'tis a wail that is heard upon the shore
 F C
 'tis a dirge that is murmured around a lowly grave
 G C
 Oh, hard times, come again no more.

End with CHORUS