

# Father and Son (Cat Stevens)

Intro: G riff

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G                      D                      C                      Am7  
 It's not time to make a change, just relax, take it easy  
                     G                      Em  
 You're still young that's your fault  
                     Am                      D  
 there's so much you have to know  
                     G                      D                      C                      Am7  
 Find a girl, settle down, if you want to, you can marry  
                     G                      Em                      Am                      D  
 Look at me, I am old, but I'm happy

G                      Bm7                      C                      Am7  
 I was once like you are now, and I know that it's not easy  
                     G                      Em                      Am                      D  
 to be calm, when you've found something going on  
                     G                      Bm7                      C                      Am7  
 But take your time, think a lot, think of everything you've got  
                     G                      Em                      D                      G                      G-riff 2x  
 For you will still be here tomorrow, but your dreams may not

{Son}:

G                      Bm                      C                      Am7  
 How can I try to explain? when I do he turns away again  
                     G                      Em                      Am                      D  
 it's always been the same, same old story  
                     G                      Bm                      C                      Am7  
 From the moment I could talk I was ordered to listen  
                     G                      Em                      D                      G  
 now there's a way and I know that I have to go away  
                     D                      C                      G                      G-riff 2x  
 I know I have to go

{Father}:

          G                  D                  C                  Am7  
It's not time to make a change, just sit down and take it slowly  
          G                                  Em  
You're still young, that's your fault,  
          Am                                  D  
there's so much you have to go through  
          G                  D                  C                  Am7  
Find a girl, settle down, if you want to you can marry  
          G                  Em                  Am          D  
Look at me, I am old, but I'm happy

{Son}:

          G                  Bm                  C                  Am7  
All the times that I cried, keeping all the things I knew inside  
          G                  Em                  Am                  D  
It's hard, but it's harder to ignore it  
          G                  Bm7                  C                  Am7  
If they were right, I'd agree, but it's them they know, not me  
          G                  Em                  D                  G  
now there's a way and I know that I have to go away  
          D          C          G          G-riff 2x  
I know I have to go