

IT GOES LIKE IT GOES

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Expressively but not too slowly

The musical score consists of four staves. The top two staves are for piano (treble and bass clef) and feature eighth-note patterns with dynamic markings *mf* and *dim.*. The bottom two staves are for guitar (two diagrams per staff showing chord fingerings). The lyrics are written below the piano staves, corresponding to the chords indicated. The chords are: Gm, Bb7/F, Eb, Bb/D, C7, Bb/D, C7/E. The lyrics describe a person's life and blessings, mentioning a miracle child, workin' man, people she knows, and hands of a person who is soon.

with pedal

Gm Bb7/F E_b Bb/D C7 Bb/D C7/E

Bless Ain't no the mir - a - cle child of a be - in' work - in' born, peo - ple she do - in' it knows too

E_b/F B_b D7 Gm Bb7/F

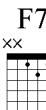
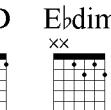
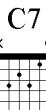
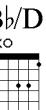
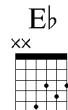
soon ev - 'ry who she day. is. Bless Ain't no the mir - a - cle hands of a

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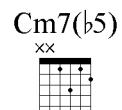
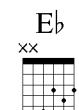
grow - in' up, _____
 work - in' man, _____

peo - ple just
 he knows his

grow soul
 that is

that way.
 his.

So it
 So it



goes

like it goes,

like the riv - er

flows

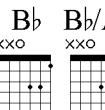
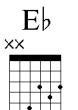
and time,

it rolls

right

goes like it goes,
 like the riv - er

flows and time,
 it rolls right



on.

And may - be what's good gets a lit - tle bit bet - ter, and

*2nd time
poco rit.*

Gm E♭m/G♭ F7 1. B♭

E♭m6/B♭

may - be what's bad gets gone.

tempo

B♭

E♭m6/B♭

|| 2. B♭

E♭m6/B♭

gone.

G_b/B_b
xx

Gm
xx

E_bm/G_b
xx

B_b/F
xxo

E_b
xx

Cm7(♭5)
xx

B_b/F
xxo

D/F♯
xxo

D+/F♯
xxo

Gm
xx

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cresc.

So it goes like it goes, like the river

f

flows and time keeps roll - in' on.

rit. e dim.

Gm/F E♭ B♭/D C7 E♭5/F B♭ B♭/A♭

xx xx xxo x xx xxo xxo

And may - be what's good gets a lit - tle bit bet - ter, and

mp *slower* rit. *p*

Gm E♭m/G♭ F7sus F7 B♭

xx xx xxo xx xxo

may - be what's bad gets gone.

rit. *mp* *a tempo*

G♭7/B♭ G♭/B♭ B♭

xx xx xxo

rit. dim. l.h.

Red.

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