Will the Circle be Unbroken?
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1. I was standing by my window,
   On a cold and cloudy day,
   When I saw that hearse come rolling,
   For to carry my mother away.

   chorus: Will the circle be unbroken,
       Bye and bye, Lord, bye and bye,
       There's a better home a-waiting,
       In the sky, Lord, in the sky.

2. Well, I told that undertaker,
   Undertaker please drive slow,
   For this body that you're hauling,
   Lord, I hate to see her go.

3. I followed close behind her,
   Tried to hold up and be brave,
   But I could not hide my sorrow,
   When they laid her in the grave.

4. I went home, my home was lonely,
   Now my mother she has gone,
   All my brothers, sisters crying,
   What a home so sad and alone.