

Father And Son by Cat Stevens

[Verse 1]

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

I was once like you are now, and I know that it's not easy
To be calm when you've found something going on
But take your time, think a lot, why, think of everything you've got
For you will still be here tomorrow, but your dreams may not

[Verse 2]

How can I try to explain? 'cause when I do he turns away again
It's always been the same, same old story
From the moment I could talk I was ordered to listen
Now there's a way, and I know that I have to go away
I know I have to go

[Solo]

G D C Am7
G Em Am7 D
G D C Am7
G Em D G
D C
G C/G x2

[Verse 3]

It's not time to make a change, just sit down and take it slowly
(Away, away, away)

G Em Am D
 You're still young, that's your fault, there's so much you have to go
 through
 (I know I have to make
 ...)

G D C Am7
 Find a girl, settle down, if you want, you can marry
 (... this decision alone ...)
 G Em Am Am Am7 D
 Look at me, I am old, but I'm happy
 (No ...)

[Verse 4]

G Bm C Am7
 All the times that I've cried, keeping all the things I knew inside
 (Stay, stay, stay
 G Em Am Am Am7 D
 It's hard, but it's harder to ignore it
 (Why must you go and make ...)
 G Bm C Am7
 If they were right, I'd agree, but it's them they know, not me
 (... this decision alone ...)
 G Em D G G/D
 Now there's a way, and I know that I have to go away
 D C G
 I know I have to go