

# The Last Dance

from the album *Time Machine*

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Moderately

The band strikes up a tune                      And mu - sic fills the  
 So man - y years have passed.                      His girl grew up so  
 He gent - ly hugs the bride                      And fin - 'ly steps a -

room.                      A cou - ple takes the floor                      To dance a min - ute more,                      A pret - ty  
 fast.                      The years that slipped a - way                      Seem just like yes - ter - day.                      Al-though those  
 side.                      And as the cou - ple parts                      Dif - frent mu - sic starts.                      Just as it

girl, An old - er man, hid - ing tears as best he can. No words are spo - ken,  
 times he knew are gone, For now their fin - al dance goes on. Soon she'll be waltz - ing with  
 was for his own wife, His daugh-ter is off to be - gin her new life. He knows that al - though they'll be

What can he say? He knows that his girl will be leav - ing to - day.                      It's the last dance for fa - ther and  
 some - bo - dy new,                      Some - one he hopes will for - ev - er be true.  
 mi - les a - part Their last dance to - ge - ther will stay in his heart.

daugh - ter, The last dance and then she must go. It's the last dance for fa - ther and daugh - ter. Daugh - ter must

dance with a - noth - er man now.                      Daugh - ter must dance with a - noth - er man now. \_\_\_\_\_