The Times They Are A-Changin'

Bob Dylan

G Emi C G
1. Come gather round people wherever you roam
    C D
and admit that the waters around you have grown
    G Emi C G
and accept it that soon you'll be drenched to the bone
    Ami D
if your time to you is worth saving
    C G D
then you'd better start swimming or you'll sink like a stone
    G D G
for the times they are a-changing.

2. Come writers and critics who prophesize with your pens
    and keep your eyes wide the chance won't come again
    and don't speak too soon for the wheel's still in spin
    and there's no telling who that it's naming
    but the loser now will be later to win
    for the times they are a-changing.

3. Come senators congressmen please heed the call
    don't stand in the doorway don't block up the hall
    for he that gets hurt will be he who has stalled
    the battle outside ragging
    will soon shake your windows and rattle your halls
    for the times they are a-changing.

4. Come mothers and fathers all over this land
    and don't criticize what you can't understand
    your sons and your daughters are beyond your command
    your old role is rapidly aging
    please get out of the new one if you can't lend your hand
    for the times they are a-changing.

5. The line it is drawn the curse it is cast
    the slow one now will later be fast
    and the present now will later be past
    the order is rapidly fading
    and the first one now will later be last
    for the times they are a-changing.