# Piper To The End

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C
Am        F        C
When I leave this world behind me
F      C          F  C
To another I will go
Em         Am
If there are no pipes in heaven
C/G    F       G
I'll be going down below


G7             C/E           Am
If friends in time be severed
F        C          F  C
Someday we will meet again
Em         Am        C
I'll return to leave you never
F                  C
Be a piper to the end


C
Am        F        C
This has been a day to die for
F      C           F  C
Now the day has almost gone
Em         Am
Up above a choir of seabirds
C/G        F         G
Turns to face the setting sun


G7        C/E              Am
Now the evening dawn is calling
F        C          F  C
And all the hills are burning red
Em          Am       C/G
And before the night comes falling
F                    C  C  G
Clouds are lined with golden thread


C/G              F
We watched the fires together
C       Am      F    G
Shared our quarters for a while
G7      C/E
Walked the dusty roads together
Am             F    G  G
Came so many miles


C
Am        F     C
This has been a day to die on
F      C           F  C
Now the day is almost done
Em             Am
Here the pipes    will lay beside me
C/G      F           G  G7
Silent will the battle drum
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C/E                 Am
If friends in time be severed
F           C          F   C
Someday here we will meet again
Em         Am    C/G
I return to leave you never
F                   C   C
Be a piper to the end
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If friends in time be severed
F           C          F   C
Someday here we will meet again
Em         Am    C/G
I return to leave you never
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