

STAY DOWN HERE WHERE YOU BELONG

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Moderato

Piano introduction in G minor, 4/4 time, Moderato tempo. The music features a steady bass line and a treble line with chords and moving lines.

Piano accompaniment for the first vocal line. It includes a repeat sign and a first ending. The tempo is marked 'till ready'.

Down — be — low, — Down — be — low, —
Kings — up — there, — They — don't — care, —

Vocal line and piano accompaniment for the first two lines of lyrics. The piano part provides harmonic support with chords and moving lines.

Sat the Dev - il talk - ing to his son, — Who want - ed to go —
For the moth - ers who must stay at home, — Their sor - rows to bear, —

Vocal line and piano accompaniment for the second two lines of lyrics. The piano part continues with harmonic support.

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Up a - bove, Up a - bove,
 Stay at home, Dont you roam,

He cried "It's get-ting too warm for me down here and so, I'm
 Al-though it's warm down be - low, you'll find it's warm - er up there, If

go - ing up on Earth where I can have a lit - tle fun," The
 eer you went up there, my son, I know you'd be sur - prised, You'd

Dev - il sim - ply shook his head and an - swered his son,
 find a lot of peo - ple who are not civ - il - ized.

CHORUS

Stay — down here where you be - long, ————— The folks who

p-f

live a - bove you don't know right from wrong, ————— To please their

kings — they've all gone out to war, ————— And not a

one of them knows what he's fight - ing for; ————— 'Way up a

bove — they say that I'm a Dev-il, and I'm bad,

Kings — up there are big-ger Dev-ils than your dad, — They're

break-ing the hearts of moth-ers, Mak-ing butch-ers out of broth-ers,

You'll find more hell up there, than there is down be - low. — low. —

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D.S.