

THE HIGH ROAD HOME

Lyrics and music © Jack Williams

Tell the truth every time
Speak it softly, make it rhyme
Take the high road, the high road home
Lies and secrets fly by night
Let's walk together in the light
Take the high road, the high road home

Who's to say what's right or wrong
It all depends who wrote the song
Take the high road, the high road home
Say today. Say Manana
Play with money. Play piano
Take the high road, the high road home

CHORUS 1

It's a long way from here to there
Spill your wine or fill your cup
Thank your stars or count your bucks
Take your time or use it up
It's a long way.....
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Light a fire, let it burn
That's the way children learn
Take the high road, the high road home
Your mother smiles, your sister frowns
You send your love from distant towns
Take the high road, the high road home

If your preacher tells a lie
Keep your faith but say "goodbye"
Take the high road, the high road home
It's your flag, right or wrong
Keep it upright, play along
Take the high road, the high road home

CHORUS 2

It's a long way.....etc
Pick your friends, pick your clothes,
Pick your demons, heaven knows
Take the high road, the high road home

When the reaper comes to call
Hope I shed no tears at all
Take the high road, the high road home
He'll say "Howdy", I'll say "Hey"
Shake his hand, call it a day
Take the high road, the high road home

CHORUS 3

It's a long way.....etc
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