

THIS OLE HOUSE-Stuart Hamblen

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Intro: G7 ||| C | G7 |

C C7 F
This ole house once knew my children, this ole house once knew my life.

G7 C
This ole house was home and comfort as we lived through storm and strife.

C7 F
This ole house once rang with laughter, this ole house heard many shouts.

G7 C
Now she trembles in the darkness when the lightning walks a-bout.

C7 F C
Ain't a-gonna need this house no longer, ain't a-gonna need this house no more.

G7 C C7
Ain't got time to fix the shingles, ain't got time to fix the floor.

F C
Ain't got time to oil the hinges, nor to mend the window panes.

G7 C G#7
Ain't a-gonna need this house no longer, I'm a-gettin' ready to meet the saints.

C# C#7 F#
This ole house is gettin' shaky, this ole house is gettin' old.

G#7 C#
This ole house lets in the rain, this ole house lets in the cold.

C# C#7 F#
On my knees I'm gettin' shaky, but I feel no fear or pain,

G#7 C#
'Cause I see an angel peekin' through a broken window pane.

C#7 F# C#
Ain't a-gonna need this house no longer, ain't a-gonna need this house no more.

G#7 C# C#7
Ain't got time to fix the shingles, ain't got time to fix the floor.

F# C#
Ain't got time to oil the hinges, nor to mend the window panes.

G#7 C# A7
Ain't a-gonna need this house no longer, I'm a-gettin' ready to meet the saints.

D D7 G
This ole house is afraid of thunder, this ole house is afraid of storms.

A7 D
This ole house just groans and trembles when the night wind flings its arms.

D7 G
This ole house is gettin' feeble, this old house is needin' paint.

A7 D
Just like me it's tuckered out, but I'm a-gettin' ready to meet the saints.

D7 G D
Ain't a-gonna need this house no longer, ain't a-gonna need this house no more.

A7 D D7
Ain't got time to fix the shingles, ain't got time to fix the floor.

G D
Ain't got time to oil the hinges, nor to mend the window panes.

A7 D (repeat last line, end D G D)
Ain't a-gonna need this house no longer, I'm a-gettin' ready to meet the saints.