

## sam cooke - A Change Is Gonna Come

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A CHANGE IS GONNA COME- Sam Cooke

E E7  
 I was born by the river in a little tent  
 A C#m B  
 And just like that river I've been running ever since  
 E A  
 It's been a long time coming  
 G# C#m A B E  
 But I know a change is gonna come, oh yes it will

It's been too hard living, but I'm afraid to die  
 Cos I don't know what's out there beyond the sky  
 It's been a long, a long time coming  
 But I know a change is gonna come, oh yes it will

BRIDGE:

F#m C#m  
 And then I go to see my brother  
 F#m C#m  
 And I ask him to help me please  
 F#m C#m  
 And he just winds up knockin' me  
 F# B B7  
 Back down on my knees

There were times when I thought I couldn't last for long  
 But now I think I'm able to carry on  
 It's been a long, been a long time coming  
 But I know a change is gonna come, oh yes it will

REPEAT VERSE 2

NOTE: I know this song from the Aretha Franklin and Band versions,  
 but I figure it's only right to post this under Sam Cooke's name.  
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