

Freight Train

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Elizabeth Cotton (1893-1987) arr. by Rodger Mohme

♩ = 160

C G G7

melody

Freight train freight train run so fast

harmony

bass

5 G C

Freight train freight train run so fast

9 E7 F

Please don't tell what train I'm on So they

13 C G C C

won't know where I've gone

Detailed description: This is a musical score for the song 'Freight Train'. It is written in 4/4 time with a tempo of 160 beats per minute. The score is arranged for voice and guitar. It consists of three systems of music. The first system (measures 1-4) has a melody line with lyrics 'Freight train freight train run so fast' and guitar chords C, G, and G7. The second system (measures 5-8) continues the melody with the same lyrics and chords G and C. The third system (measures 9-12) has a new melody line with lyrics 'Please don't tell what train I'm on So they' and guitar chords E7 and F. The fourth system (measures 13-16) has a final melody line with lyrics 'won't know where I've gone' and guitar chords C, G, C, and C. The bass line provides a steady accompaniment throughout.