

# Suicide is painless

Music / Lyrics: Mike Altman

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Arr: Jetse Bremer

## Song from M.A.S.H.

♩ = 118 Off beat snaps on 2 and 4

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*p* doo doo — doo doo — doo doo — doo doo — Through *mp*

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*p* doo doo — dm doo doo — doo doo — dm doo Through *mp*

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ear-ly mor-ning fog — I see, — Vis-ions of the things to be, — The pains that are with-held —

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— for me, — I re - a - lize and I can see. — doo —

— for me, — I re - a - lize and I can see. — That su - i - cide is pain -

— for me, — I re - a - lize and I can see — That su - i - cide is pain -

— for me, — I re - a - lize and I can see. — doo

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— doo ——— And I can take or leave — it if I please. —  
 less. It brings on man-y chan - ges. And I can take or leave — it if I please. —  
 less. su - i - cide — chan-ges. — And I can take or leave — it if I please. —  
 doo doo doo doo ——— doo doo doo And I can take or leave — it if I please. —

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*mp* doo doo doo — doo doo doo — doo ———  
*mp* doo doo doo — doo doo doo — doo ———  
*mp* The game of life is hard — to play, — I'm gon-na lose it  
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*mp* doo doo — doo doo doo - n doo — doo doo

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The los - ing card I'll some - day lay, — So this is all I have to say. —  
 an - y - way. The los - ing card I'll some - day lay, — So this is all I have to say. —  
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 — doo doo — doo The los - ing card I'll some - day lay, — So this is all I have to say. —

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*mf* *ah* *ah*

That su - i - cide is pain - less. It brings on man - y chan -

*mf*

That su - i - cide is pain - less. su - i - cide —

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*mp* *p*

And I can take or leave — it if I please. — The

*mp* *p*

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*mp* *p*

chan-ges. — And I can take or leave — it if I please. — doo doo — doo doo — doo The

*mp* *p*

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39 Verse III

sword of time will pierce — our skins. — It does-n't hurt when it be-gins. — But as it works its way —

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