

Don't Give Up

Peter Gabriel

Cm Cm EbEbBbBbCm Cm

Cm Cm
In this proud land we grew up strong

We were wanted all along

I was taught to fight

Taught to win

I never thought I could fail

Cm Cm
No fight left or so it seems

I am a man whose dreams have all deserted

I've changed my face

I've changed my name

But no one wants you when you lose

Fm Eb Ab Ab
Don't give up 'Cause you have friends

Fm Eb Ab Ab
Don't give up, You're not beaten yet

Fm Eb
Don't give up

Ab Bb
I know you can make it good

Cm Cm
Though I saw it all around

Never thought that I could be affected

Thought that we'd be the last to go

It is so strange the way things turn

Cm Cm
Drove the night toward my home

The place that I was born, on the lakeside

As daylight broke, I saw the earth

The trees had burned down to the ground

Fm Eb Ab Ab
Don't give up, You still have us

Fm Eb Ab Ab
Don't give up, We don't need much of anything

Fm Eb
Don't give up

Ab Bb Eb Eb
'Cause somewhere there's a place where we belong

Bb Bb
Rest your head

You worry too much

It's going to be alright

When times get rough

You can fall back on us

Don't give up
Bb Eb Eb
Please don't give up

Eb Eb
Got to walk out of here

I can't take any more

Going to stand on that bridge

Keep my eyes down below

Whatever may come

And whatever may go

That river's flowing

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Cm Cm
Moved on to another town

Tried hard to settle down

For every job, so many men

So many men no-one needs

Fm Eb Ab Ab
Don't give up 'cause you have friends

Fm Eb Ab Ab
Don't give up, You're not the only one

Fm Eb Ab Ab
Don't give up, No reason to be ashamed

Fm Eb Ab Ab
Don't give up, You still have us

Fm Eb
Don't give up now

Ab Ab
We're proud of who you are

Don't give up

Ab Ab
You know it's never been easy

Fm Eb
Don't give up

'Cause I believe there's a place

Bb Eb
There's a place where we belong

Timing is tricky, one chord is written per bar of three beats. In the chorus "Don't" comes on the third beat of the first bar, and "give" on the first beat of the second bar.

Option: replace the Ab chord with AbM7

AbM7

