The Old Churchyard   D-A-D or C-G-C

intro

Bm				G				D			A
2				3				2			1
1	1				1		1	0		0	0
2		1	2		0				0		1

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      Bm                  A          G       A
V1A   Come, come with me to the old churchyard
          D                D               G        G
      I so well know those paths 'neath the soft green sward
              Bm        A          G          A
      Friends slumber there who we once did regard
              D             D        G          G
      We will trace out their names in the old churchyard


      D              D              D        D
V1B   Mourn not for them for their trials are o'er
      Bm            G              D        A
      Why weep for those who will weep no more?
          Bm        A           G       A
      For sweet is their sleep, though cold and hard
                  D       D      G         G
      Their pillows lay deep in the old churchyard


          Bm          A            G       A
V2A   I know that it's vain when friends depart
          D              D        G       G
      To breathe kind words to a broken heart
              Bm            A    G    A
      And I know that the joy of life is marred
                  D        D            G      G
      When we follow our friends to the old churchyard
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V2B
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      D           D           D      D
But were I at rest 'neath yonder tree
Bm                    G           D          A
Why would you weep, my friends, for me?
      Bm            A                 G              A
I'm so weary, so wayworn, why would you retard
        D             D               G          G
The peace that I seek in the old churchyard?
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Tab diagram:

		G			A	END 1	Bm			END 2		
		3			1		2		2		3	1
		1			0		1		3	2	1	0
3	2	0	3	2	1	3	2	2	1	2	4	0

V3A
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Bm                A              G            A
Why weep for me, for I'm anxious to go
          D          D               G          G
To that haven of rest where no tears e'er flow?
        Bm            A               G              A
And I fear not my fate when it's time to depart
        D          D              G          G
I will sail with the sun in the old churchyard
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V3B
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    D          D            D           D
I rest in the hope that one bright day
Bm                G             D          A
Sunshine will burst these prisons of clay
            Bm                 A              G                  A
And the trumpets will sound on the hills near and far
          D          D             G          G
Will wake up the dead in the old churchyard
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INSTRUMENTAL VA & VB   (END ON Bm)

Chord versions that best fit the melody (4 beats per chord)

VA   1
2	1	3	1
1	0	1	0
0	1	0	1

2
0	2	3	3
0	3	1	1
2	4	0	0

3
2	1	3	1
1	0	1	0
0	1	0	1

4
0	2	3	3
0	3	1	1
2	4	0	0

VB   1
2	2	2	2
3	3	3	3
4	2	4	2

2
2	3	2	1
1	3	3	0
2	5	4	1

3
2	1	3	1
1	0	1	0
0	1	0	1

4
0	2	3	3
0	3	1	1
2	4	0	0

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