

Shape Shifter

Piano/Vocal

That's All He Wrote

(James)

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Slow and Anguished ($\text{♩}=70$)

James (Baritone) *mf*

Piano *f*

Dm Gm/D Gm/D Dm

No form of

5 Dm(add9) A Dm(add9) A7

su - i-cide is en-tire - ly pain-less_ whe-ther you take poi-son or sim - ply cut your throat; Jump-ing from a

9 Dm(add9) A7 Dm(add9)

Wall Streetwin-dow, stand-ing on the track, wait-ing for a speed-ing train! Se-ver your spine or break your neck! My

12 A7 Dm(add9) A7 **Slower**

life is now a to-tal wreck! With a pis-tol I'd put a bul-let through my brain! There's

First tempo (♩=70)

15 Dm(add9) A7

on - ly one form of su - i - cide I have-n't tried Con - si - der this my fare-well note When they ask you how I died,

17 Dm(add9) A7 Dm **Faster, Resignedly** (♩=120)

Be sure to tell them, "That's all he wrote!" I'm just an or - di - na - ry sor - ta guy;- All

21 Am/C Gm/Bb Dm

I e-ver ac-com-plished in life turned out to be no-thing but an emp-ty lie! I've had my share of trou-ble,

26 Am/C Gm/Bb

woe and strife. I'm on-ly grate-ful that I'm not sad-dled with kids and wife! I'm sick and tired of liv-ing up to my res-pon-si

31 Dm A7 **Slow** (♩=90) D **Brighter** Bm

bi-li-ty. A-ny chance you can snatch, a big chal-lenge like life can be

36 Em C D F#m

made to seem quite small. But you can't cal your-self a man un-less you have a dream! Not a mere get rich-quick scheme. And a

Gradually Slower (♩=84) (♩=80)

40 G Bm (♩=70) C Dm **Subdued** *p*

friend you can call! To save you when you fall, when your back's a-against the wall! I'm so

44 Cm7 Dm Cm7

o-ver e-very-one_ com-plain-ing_ I will take this time re-main-ing_ De

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48 Dm Cm⁷ Dm Cm⁷

ci-ded there's no use in ask- ing why; I gave it— the old col-lege try, There's

52 Dm Cm⁷ Dm

on - ly one old school knot for me to tie, The whole world is wait-ing,

55 Cm⁷ Dm **Slower** (♩=60) *f*

no more he - si - ta - ting, now all that I can do is up and die!