# May It Last                                    *The Avett Brothers*

*Open (Key of B). 3/4 time. <u>Harmony</u>. Intro, interlude and outro include **B6** and **Bmaj7** chords*

### *<u>Intro</u>*

**B | B | B | B**  *x4*

### *<u>Chorus (SCOTT)</u>*

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          (B)                E
There is a sea, and I am a captain
                B                      E
of something unknown, waves high as mountains
          B                   E
There is a key, and there is a light
                              B                       E
Here's to times that I catch it, may it last through the night
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### *<u>Verse 1 (SETH)</u>*

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Am                      E    Am                          E
   I'm as low as they come,     I'm what shouldn't be done
Am           E                  F#m
   filthy and lost, still up for trying
Am                      E    Am                 E
   You're the one reason why     I look up and smile
Am           E                      F#m         F
   wishing for love, and I'm ready to forge ahead
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### *<u>Chorus (SCOTT)</u>*

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           B                E
There is a sea, and I am a captain
                B                      E
of something unknown, waves high as mountains
          B                   E
There is a key, and there is a light
                              B                        E
Here's to times that I catch it, may it last through the night
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### *<u>Verse 2 (SETH)</u>*

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Am                      E    Am                     E
   Dark thoughts are hidden,     masked in the shadows
Am               E         F#m
   Times they get strange, colors are flown
Am               E        Am                 E
   We're all will fit in,     blind in our armor
Am         E     Am         E             F#m             F
   Traveling fast, judgement is past, now it's time to go home
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***Chorus (SCOTT)***

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            B                 E
There is a sea, and I am a captain
              B                     E
of something unknown, waves high as mountains
              B                 E
There is a key, and there is a light
                        B                           E
Here's to times that I catch it, may it last through the night
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***Interlude***

**B | B | B | B** *x4*

***Verse 3***

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Am                    E       Am                        E
   When the engine won't turn,    when the fire won't burn
Am                       E       F#m                    F
   like it did when we felt it deep in our hearts
Am           E       Am              E
   Untie the rudder,    guide them away
Am               E         F#m                  F
   Take me I'll serve you, take me I'll serve
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***Chorus (SCOTT)***

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            B                 E
There is a sea, and I am a captain
              B                     E
of something unknown, waves high as mountains
              B                 E
There is a key, and there is a light
                        B                           E
Here's to times that I catch it, may it last through the night
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***Outro***

**B | B | B | B** *x4*