

# After Fifty Years

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**Refrain:**

**♩ = 104**

C CM7 Dm G

Af-ter fif - ty years of shar - ing, and those

4 C CM7 Dm G G/F Em Am FM7

fif - ty years of car - ing, here are two who trav - el on to - day to -

8 G G9 G C CM7 Dm G G/F Em Am Am/G

ge - ther. On - ly love that's deep would make it: love that's gui - ded from a - bove.

13 F Dm7 C/G Am Dm G C

We're blessed this day to be the wit - ness to their love. (last time to final ending)

18 Dm G7 C C/B C/A C/G

Thank you, Mom and Dad, for be - ing here with us to - day.

22 Dm G7 C C/B

Thank you for the love you've no doubt shared a - long the way.

25 C/A C/G F Em Am7

As a child I could not un - der - stand the chal - len - ges you

29 F Dm7 Dm/F G G7 *to Refrain*

faced. As a par - ent I'm now cer - tain that some days with pain were graced. Af - ter

34 Dm G7 C C/B C/A C/G

And for fif - ty years you've tra - veled on through pain and fear.

38 Dm G7 C C/B C/A C/G

When the day was dark be - fore the dawn you shed a tear. Now I

42 F Em Am7 F

know that next you said a prayer; the love you share is strong. God a -

46 Dm7 Dm/F G G7 *D.S. al Fine*

lone could be the love which has car - ried you a - long. Af - ter

50 Dm G7 C C/B C/A C/G

Now with joy we cel - e - brate two lives u - ni - ted in God's Love.

54 Dm G7 C C/B C/A C/G

Grow - ing clo - ser with each day as bles - sings from a - bove nev - er

58 F Em Am7 F

cease to fill their hu - man hearts. God's Love grows with - out end. And Love's

62 Dm7 Dm/F G G7 *to Refrain*

riv - er keeps on flow - ing as they share love with their friends. Af - ter

