

Toxic Piles

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♩ = 84
C F G

In - to a can our waste we throw lit - tle con - cerned with where it goes. Then
The met - als from the earth we use, re - plac - ing what through waste we lose. We
The at - om's core has been un - sealed and to our use its po - wer yields, while

3 C F G F G

send it off far from our sight so we don't have to see its blight. We seal it off in piles all so neat
leave the slag which has no worth in piles scat - tered up - on our earth. With tox - ic el - e - ments they leach un -
its waste does ac - cum - u - late, as we try to de - cide its fate, with rays dead - ly for thou - sands years we'll

6 F C Dm C Dm G Dm C Dm G

our des - cend - ants so to greet. To our des - cend - ants what bring we to re - mem - ber us, our leg - a - cy?
- til our lakes and streams they reach.
pass it on to our heirs dear.

11 ♩ = 76 C Dm C Dm

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