Rocket Man

Elton John – *Honky Château* (1972)

A1	She packed my bags last night, pre-flight	| Gm7 | C9 |
	Zero hour: 9:00 a.m	| Gm7 | C9 – Bb/d |
	And I'm gonna be high as a kite by then	| Eb – Bb/d | Cm7 – Cm7/bb |
		| F/a | % |
	I miss the Earth so much; I miss my wife	| Gm7 | Gm7/c |
	It's lonely out in space	| Gm7 | Gm7/c – Bb/d |
	On such a timeless flight	| Eb – Bb/d | Cm7 – Cm7/bb |
		| F/a – F/c | F7 – Eb/f |
B1	(Ooh) And I think it's gonna be a long, long time	| Bb – Bb/d |
	(Ooh) 'Til touchdown brings me 'round again to find	| Eb |
	(Ooh) I'm not the man they think I am at home	| Bb – Bb/d |
	(Aah) Oh, no, no, no	| Eb – Bb/d |
	I'm a rocket man	| C |
	Rocket man, burning out his fuse up here alone	| Eb |
		| Bb – Eb/bb – Bb | Eb(add9) |
	(Ooh) And I think it's gonna be a long, long time	| Bb – Bb/d |
	(Ooh) 'Til touchdown brings me 'round again to find	| Eb |
	(Ooh) I'm not the man they think I am at home	| Bb – Bb/d |
	(Aah) Oh, no, no, no	| Eb – Bb/d |
	I'm a rocket man	| C |
	Rocket man, burning out his fuse up here alone	| Eb |
		| Bb – Eb/bb – Bb | Eb(add9) |
A2	Mars ain't the kind of place to raise your kids	| Gm7 | C9 |
	In fact, it's cold as hell	| Gm7 | C9 – Bb/d |
	And there's no one there to raise them if you did	| Eb – Bb/d | Cm7 – Cm7/bb |
		| F/a – F/c | F |
	And all this science, I don't understand	| Gm7 | Gm7/c |
	It's just my job five days a week	| Gm7 | Gm7/c – Bb/d |
	A rocket man	| Eb – Bb/d | Cm7 – Cm7/bb |
	A rocket man	| F/a – F/c | F7 – Eb/f |
B2	(Ooh) And I think it's gonna be a long, long time	| Bb – Bb/d |
	(Ooh) 'Til touchdown brings me 'round again to find	| Eb |
	(Ooh) I'm not the man they think I am at home	| Bb – Bb/d |
	(Aah) Oh, no, no, no	| Eb – Bb/d |
	I'm a rocket man	| C |
	Rocket man, burning out his fuse up here alone	| Eb |
		| Bb – Eb/bb – Bb | Eb(add9) |
	(Ooh) And I think it's gonna be a long, long time	| Bb – Bb/d |
	(Ooh) 'Til touchdown brings me 'round again to find	| Eb |
	(Ooh) I'm not the man they think I am at home	| Bb – Bb/d |
	(Aah) Oh, no, no, no	| Eb – Bb/d |
	I'm a rocket man	| C |
	Rocket man, burning out his fuse up here alone	| Eb |
		| Bb – Eb/bb – Bb | Eb(add9) |
Coda	And I think it's gonna be a long, long time	| Bb | Eb |
	And I think it's gonna be a long, long time	| Bb | Eb |
	And I think it's gonna be a long, long time	| Bb | Eb |
	And I think it's gonna be a long, long time	| Bb | Eb |
	And I think it's gonna be a long, long time	| Bb | Eb |
	And I think it's gonna be a long, long time	| Bb | Eb |
	And I think it's gonna be a long, long time	| Bb | Eb |
	And I think it's gonna be a long, long time	| Bb (rit.) |