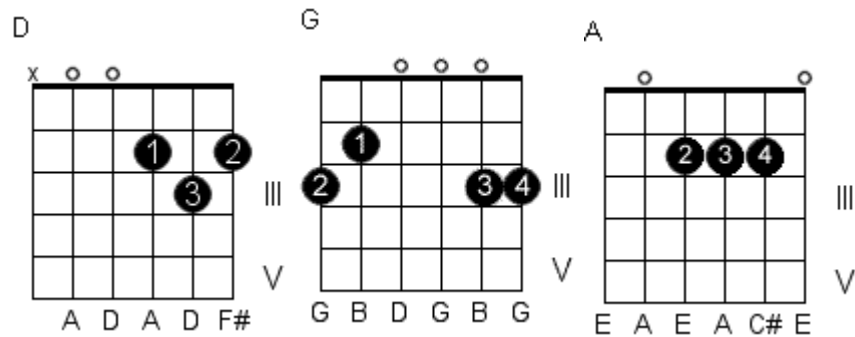


The Last Cowboy Song – The Highwaymen

Strumming Pattern: D, DUDU

Chords Used:



Chorus (all together):

D
This is the last cowboy song
G
The end of a hundred year waltz
A
The voices sound sad as they're singing along
D
Another piece of America's lost

Verse 1:(Waylon Jennings)

D
He rides the feed lots, works in a market
A
On weekend selling tobacco and beer
He dreams of tomorrow surrounded by fences
D
But he'll dream tonight of when fences weren't here

Verse 2:(Kris Kristofferson)

D
He blazed the trail with Lewis and Clark
A
And eyeball to eyeball old Wyatt backed down
He stood shoulder to shoulder with Travis in Texas
D
And rode with the Seventh when Custer went down

Chorus (all together):

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Verse 3:(Willie Nelson)

D
Remington showed us how he looked on canvas
A
And Louis Lamour told us his tale
Me and Johnny and Waylon and Kris sing about him
D
And wish to God we could have ridden his trail

Verse 4:(spoken-Johnny Cash) and the three others sing the chorus.

D
The Old Chisom Trail is covered in concrete
G
They truck it to market in fifty foot rigs
A
They roll by his gravesite and don't even notice
D
Like living and dying was all he ever did

Chorus (all together):

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