God's Gonna Cut You Down

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     Am
1. You   can run on for a long time,

       Am
/: Run   on for a long time, :/

           Dm   **Am**
/: Sooner, or later,   God'll cut you down.   :/

        Am
2. Go and tell   that long tongue liar,

        Am
Go and tell   that midnight rider,

          Am
Tell the rambler,   the gambler, the back biter,

    C   **Em**   **Am**
/: Tell 'em that God's   gonna cut   'em down. :/

       Am
3. Well my   goodness gracious, let me tell you the news.

       Am
My heads   been wet with the midnight dew.

   Am
I've   been down on bended knee,

    Am
talkin   to the man from Galiee.

     Am
4. He spoke   to me in a voice so sweet,

      Am
I thought   I heard the shuffle of angels feet.

     Am
He called   my name and my heart stood still,

     Am   **Mute**
When He   said   „John go do my will"

     Am
5. Go and tell   that long tongue liar,

      Am
Go and tell   that midnight rider,

        Am
Tell the rambiler,   the gambler, the back biter,

    C   **Em**   **Am**
/: Tell 'em that God's   gonna cut 'em down . :/

           Am
6. You can run   on for a long time,
      Am
Run   on for a long time,
      Am
Run   on for a long time,
         C   **Em**   **Am**
/: Sooner, or later,   God'll cut   you down. :/
          Am
You may throw   your rock, hide your hand,
       Am
Workin   in the dark against your fellow man.
       Am
But as   sure as God made black and white,
         Am
What's done   in the dark, will be brought to the light.

          Am
7. You can run   on for a long time,
      Am
/: Run   on for a long time, :/
         C   **Em**   **Am**
/: Sooner, or later,   God'll cut   you down. :/

          Am
8. Go and tell   that long tongue liar,
         Am
Go and tell   that midnight rider,
           Am
/: Tell the rambler,   the gambler, the back biter, :/
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/: Tell 'em that God's   gonna cut   'em down. :/