

Me and My Uncle

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Verse 1 3x ||:G ///|Em ///:|| G /// |A /// |G / Bm / |Em / / /| % |

Me and my uncle went ridin' down,
South Colorado, West Texas bound.
We stopped over in Santa Fe,
That bein' the point just about half way,
And you know it was the hottest part of the day.

Verse 2 I took the horses up to the stall,
Went to the barroom, ordered drinks for all.
Three days in the saddle, you know my body hurt,
It being summer, I took off my shirt.
And I tried to wash off some of that dusty dirt.

Verse 3 West Texas cowboys, they's all around.
Women, liquor and money, they loaded down.
Soon after payday know it seemed a shame;
You know my uncle he starts a friendly game.
And it's high-low jack and the winner take the hand.

Lead

Verse 4 My uncle starts winning; cowboys got sore.
One of them called him, and then two more,
Accused him of cheating; Oh no, it couldn't be.
I know my uncle, he's as honest as me,
And I'm as honest as a Denver man can be.

Verse 5 One of them cowboys, he starts to draw,
I shot him down, Lord he never saw.
Shot me another, oh damn he won't grow old.
In the confusion, my uncle grabbed the gold,
And we high-tailed it down to Mexico.

Verse 6 I love those cowboys, I love their gold,
I loved my uncle, God rest his soul,
Taught me good, Lord, taught me all I know.
Taught me so well, I grabbed that gold
And I left his dead ass there by the side of the road.

Big River ||: A / / / | % | % | D B E / |
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Chorus Well I taught that weeping willow how to cry cry cry,
 Taught the clouds how to cover up a clear blue sky.
 Tears I cried for that woman are gonna flood you big river,
 And I'm a gonna sit right here until I die.

Verse 1 **I met her accidentally** in St. Paul, Minnesota,
 She tore me up everything I heard her drawl, that southern drawl.
 Well I heard my dream went back downstream, cavortin' in Davenport,
 And I follow you big river when you called.

Chorus

Lead (2 Rounds)

Verse 2 **Well I followed her down to St. Louie**, later on down the river,
 Trader said she's been here, but she's gone, boy, she's gone.
 Well I followed her down to Memphis, but she just walked off the bus,
 She raised a few eyebrows and she went on down alone.

Chorus

Keyboard Lead (2 Rounds)

Verse 3 **Well I've gotten on down to Baton Rouge**, River Queen roll on,
 Take that woman down to New Orleans, New Orleans.
 I give up, I've had enough, followed my blues on down to the gulf,
 She loves you big river more than me.

Chorus

Lead (Multi-Rounds)

Chorus

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