

by Old Crow Medicine Show

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Capo 2nd fret

[Intro]

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G D Em C
G D C
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G D C

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[Verse 1]

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G          D
Headed down south to the land of the pines
      Em          C
And I'm thumbin' my way into North Caroline
G
Starin' up the road
      D          C
And pray to God I see headlights

G          D
I made it down the coast in seventeen hours
Em          C
Pickin' me a bouquet of dogwood flowers
      G
And I'm a hopin' for Raleigh
      D          C
I can see my baby tonight

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[Chorus]

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G          D
So rock me mama like a wagon wheel
Em          C
Rock me mama anyway you feel
G D C
Hey, mama rock me
G          D
Rock me mama like the wind and the rain
Em          C
Rock me mama like a south-bound train
G D C
Hey, mama rock me

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[Instrumental]

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G D Em C
G D C

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[Verse 2]

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G          D
Runnin' from the cold up in New England
      Em          C
I was born to be a fiddler in an old-time stringband
G
My baby plays the guitar
      D          C
I pick a banjo now

G          D
Oh, the North country winters keep a gettin' me now
      Em          C
Lost my money playin' poker so I had to up and leave
G
But I ain't a turnin' back
      D          C
To livin' that old life no more

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[Chorus]

G **D**
So rock me mama like a wagon wheel
Em **C**
Rock me mama anyway you feel
G **D** **C**
Hey, mama rock me
G **D**
Rock me mama like the wind and the rain
Em **C**
Rock me mama like a south-bound train
G **D** **C**
Hey, mama rock me

[Instrumental]

G **D** **Em** **C**
G **D** **C**
G **D** **Em** **C**
G **D** **C**

[Verse 3]

G **D**
Walkin' to the south out of Roanoke
 Em
I caught a trucker out of Philly
 C
Had a nice long toke
 G **D**
But he's a headed west from the Cumberland Gap
 C
To Johnson City, Tennessee

G **D**
And I gotta get a move on fit for the sun
 Em
I hear my baby callin' my name
 C
And I know that she's the only one
 G
And if I die in Raleigh
 D **C**
At least I will die free

[Chorus]

G **D**
So rock me mama like a wagon wheel
Em **C**
Rock me mama anyway you feel
G **D** **C**
Hey, mama rock me
G **D**
Rock me mama like the wind and the rain
Em **C**
Rock me mama like a south-bound train
G **D** **C** **G**
Hey, mama rock me