

The River (5 hokjes hoger)

Am C G F Dm C F F

Am C G F
I come from down in the valley Where mister, when you're young
Am C F C
They bring you up to do like your daddy done
F C G Am
Me and Mary we met in high school When she was just seventeen
Dm C F
We'd drive out of this valley down to where the fields were green

Am F G C
We'd godown to the river And into the river we'd dive
Am F G F
Oh down to the river we'd ride

Am C G F
Then I got Mary pregnant And man, that was all she wrote
Am C F C
And for my 19th birthday I got a union card and a wedding coat
F C G Am
We went down to the courthouse And the judge put it all to rest
Dm
No wedding day smiles, no walk down the aisle
C F
No flowers, no wedding dress

Am F
That night we went down to the river
G C
And into the river we'd dive
Am F G F
Oh down to the river we did ride

