

If I Die A Railroad Man

Traditional

The first system of music features a treble clef and a key signature of one flat (Bb). It begins with a repeat sign. Above the staff, three guitar chord diagrams are provided: C (x32010), F (xx3232), and C (x32010). The melody consists of quarter and eighth notes.

1.They took John Hen-ry to the steep hill-side; He looked to the heav-en a -
 2.If I die__ a - rail - road man, Go bury me__ und - er the
 3.If I die__ a - rail - road man, Go bury me__ un - der the

The second system of music continues the melody. It starts with a measure number '4' on the left. Above the staff, two guitar chord diagrams are provided: Am7 (x02020) and C (x32010). The melody continues with quarter and eighth notes.

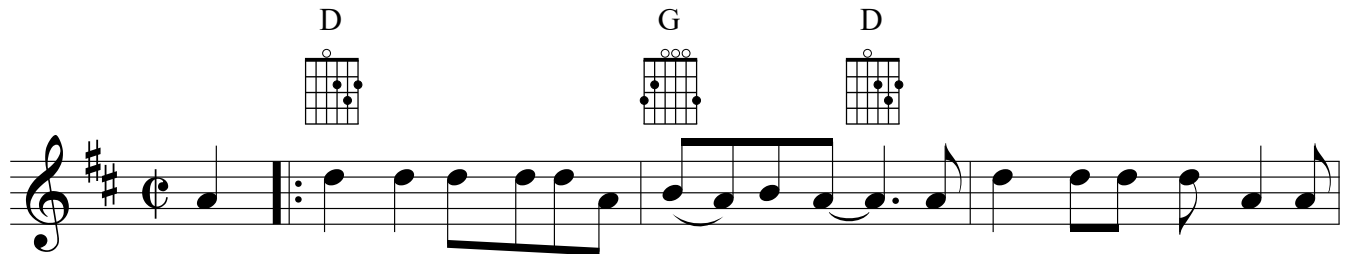
bove. He says: "Take my ham-mer and wrap it in gold, and
 tie, So__ I can hear old num - ber four - as
 sand, with a pick and.a shov-el.at my head__ and__ feet, and.a

The third system of music concludes the piece. It starts with a measure number '7' on the left. Above the staff, five guitar chord diagrams are provided: C (x32010), G7 (xx3232), C (x32010), G7 (xx3232), and C (x32010). The melody ends with a double bar line.

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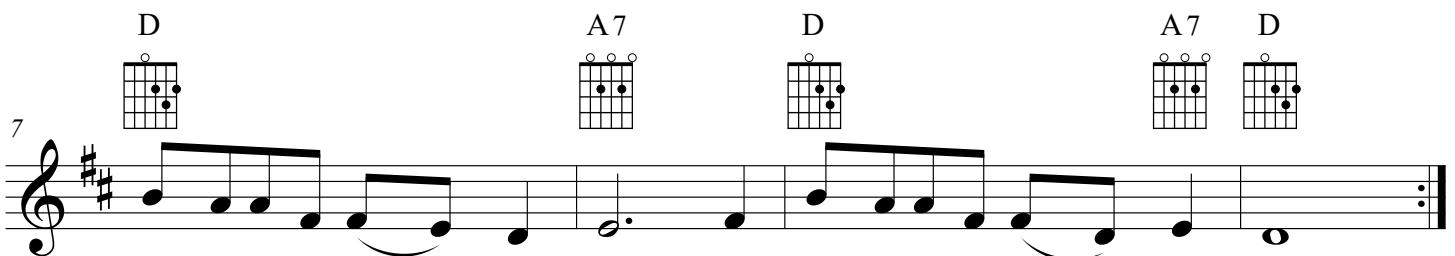
Musical notation for the first system, including guitar chords D, G, and D.

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Musical notation for the second system, including guitar chords Bm7 and D.

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





Musical notation for the third system, including guitar chords D, A7, D, A7, and D.

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A  D  A 








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F#m7  A 

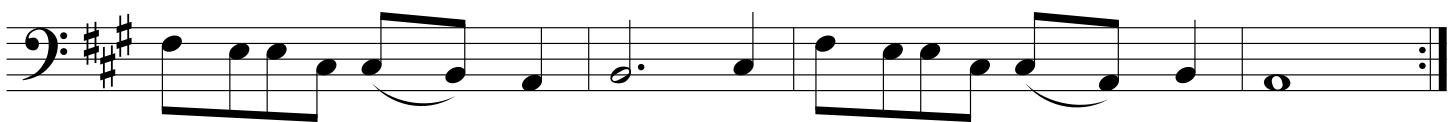
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A  E7  A  E7  A 

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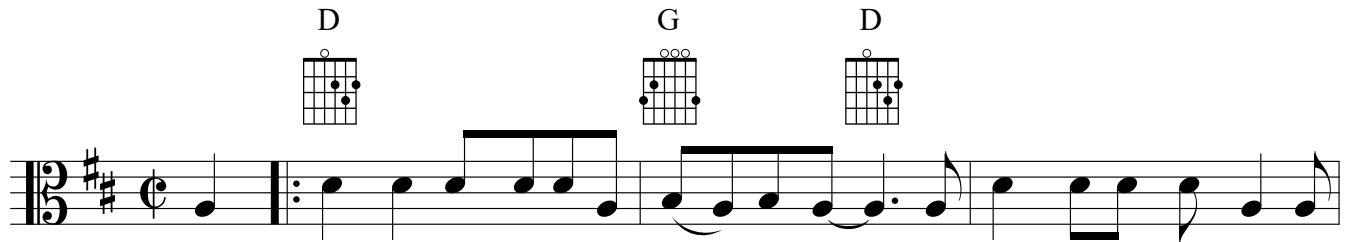


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D G D



The first system of music features three guitar chords: D (x02321), G (x32033), and D (x02321). The melody is written in bass clef with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#) and a common time signature. It begins with a repeat sign and consists of a series of eighth and quarter notes.

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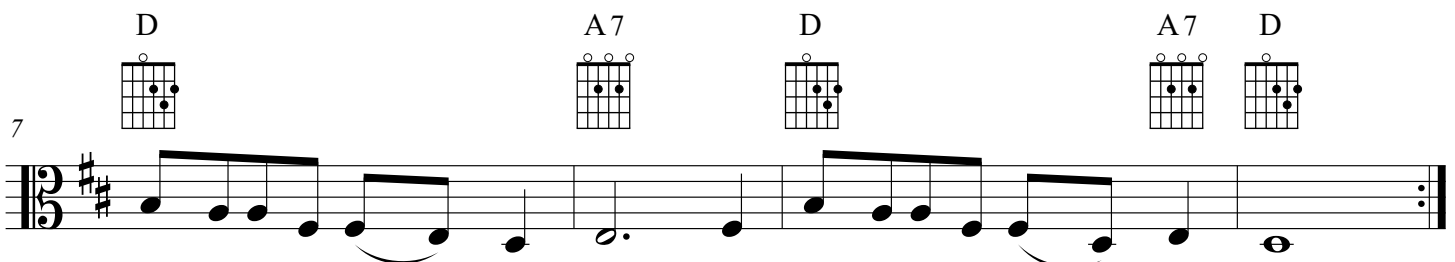
Bm7 D



The second system of music features two guitar chords: Bm7 (x21232) and D (x02321). The melody continues in bass clef with a key signature of two sharps and a common time signature, consisting of eighth and quarter notes.

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tie, So ___ I can hear old num - ber four - as
sand, with a pick and.a shov-el.at my head ___ and ___ feet, and.a

D A7 D A7 D



The third system of music features five guitar chords: D (x02321), A7 (x02023), D (x02321), A7 (x02023), and D (x02321). The melody continues in bass clef with a key signature of two sharps and a common time signature, ending with a double bar line.

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Ukulele

C F C

Ukulele chord diagrams for C, F, and C. The C chord is shown as a C major triad (C4, E4, G4). The F chord is shown as an F major triad (F4, A4, C5). The second C chord is shown as a C major triad (C4, E4, G4).

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Am7 C

Ukulele chord diagrams for Am7 and C. The Am7 chord is shown as an A minor 7th chord (A3, C4, E4, G4). The C chord is shown as a C major triad (C4, E4, G4).

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C G7 C G7 C

Ukulele chord diagrams for C, G7, C, G7, and C. The C chord is shown as a C major triad (C4, E4, G4). The G7 chord is shown as a G dominant 7th chord (G4, B4, D5, F5). The second C chord is shown as a C major triad (C4, E4, G4). The second G7 chord is shown as a G dominant 7th chord (G4, B4, D5, F5). The final C chord is shown as a C major triad (C4, E4, G4).

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