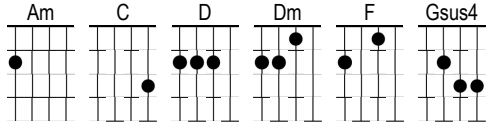


# The Night They Drove Old Dixie Down

## The Band



**Am** Virgil **C** Caine is the name and I **F** served on the Danville **Dm** train  
**Am** 'Til Stoneman's **C** cavalry came and **F** tore up the tracks a **Dm** gain  
**Am** In the winter of **F** '65, we were **C** hungry, just **Dm** barely alive  
By **Am** May the 10th, **F** Richmond had fell  
It's a **C** time I re **Dm** member, oh so **D** well |

## Chorus

The **C** night they **F** drove old Dixie **C** down and the **F** bells were ringin'  
The **C** night they **F** drove old Dixie **C** down and the **F** people were singin'  
They went, **C** "Na, na na **Am** na na, na, **Gsus4** na na, na na, na **F** na na na, na  
**C**

**Am** Back with my wife in **C** Tennessee when **F** one day she called to **Dm** me  
**Am** Said "Virgil, **C** quick, come see, **F** there goes the Robert E **Dm** Lee"  
Now, **Am** I don't mind **F** chopping wood and I **C** don't care if the **Dm** money's no  
good  
You **Am** take what you need and you **F** leave the rest  
But they should **C** never have **Dm** taken the very **D** best |

## Repeat Chorus

**Am** Like my father be **C** fore me, **F** I will work the **Dm** land  
**Am** And like my **C** brother above me, **F** who took a rebel **Dm** stand  
He was **Am** just eighteen, **F** proud and brave but a **C** Yankee laid him **Dm** in his  
grave  
I **Am** swear by the mud be **F** low my feet  
You can't **C** raise a Caine back **Dm** up when he's in de **D** feat |

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