

# Down by the Brazos (transcription of first couple of times thru tune)

Based on video at [www.youtube.com/watch?v=3IEoLkhSzUE](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3IEoLkhSzUE)  
Transcribed for Song-A-Week at MandolinCafe. See also the included TablEdit file.

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*Video is  
faster, but  
it doesn't  
need to be  
that fast. :)*

## Part 1

Swing rhythm

Mandolin  
variations  
(GDAE)

For reference only:  
simplified version of song

## Part 2

23

**G D7 G C G D7**

SL H

TAB 2 2 3 0 4 5 2 2 5 0 2 2 2 0 2 3 3 2 2 0 2 5 2 2 2 0 0 2 0 4 0 0

29

**G C D G**

Variation of Part 1

TAB 5 4 5 0 2 3 0 3 0 0 5 5 2 0 5 5 2 0 0 5 5 2 5 4 5 0 2

35

**C G Em A7 D**

H P

TAB 3 3 5 0 3 5 2 3 5 (5) 5 0 5 3 2 3 2 0 0 2 0 4 0 2 4

41

**G Em C G Em D**

TAB 5 2 2 2 2 0 2 3 3 5 0 3 5 2 3 5 3 0 5 2 5 3 3 2 0 5

# Variation of Part 2

48

**G C G D7**

H H

TAB 5 2 2 0 2 2 2 0 2 3 3 5 3 2 5 5 5 5 2 0 2 0 4 0 (0)

53

**G C G D7 G C**

H

TAB 5 4 5 0 2 3 3 3 2 2 3 0 5 5 2 2 5 0 2 5 5 0 2 3 3 0 5

59

**G D7 G C D**

TAB 5 5 5 2 5 0 0 0 5 0 2 5 3 0 3 3 5 5 7 5 3

NOTE: My TabEdit file ends at this bar.

# Another variation of Part 1

64

**G C G**

H H

TAB 3 3 2 2 0 5 2 2 2 4 5 0 0 2 3 3 3 5 3 2

**Etc.**

This is as far as I got with writing the notes. See video for more variations.