

Born to be a racehorse

Intro one strum G

N/C I was **[G]** born to be a racehorse
Was **[C]** strong correct and blue
But the **[Am]** one thing that I lacked in life
Was the **[C]** size to see it through
So they **[G]** left me in a paddock
To grow **[C]** further off the floor
And as **[Am]** I grew older, and I grew bolder
I **[C]** wanted so much more

Cos I was **[G]** small
But I had a big **[BmEm]** heart
Just a **[C]** pony
No chance of a **[G]** start **X 2** 2,3,4 1.2.3 stop

[G] I was born to be a racehorse
That's **[C]** all I wanted to do
But as I **[Am]** ate grass in an irish field
My **[C]** future looked like glue
Then **[G]** one lucky day
When the **[C]** sun was out
I **[Am]** saw my chance to shine
And leave my **[C]** owners with no doubt

Despite being **[G]** small
I had a big **[BmEm]** heart
I jumped the **[C]** fence line
That was my **[G]** start **X 2 stop**

And I went - **[G]** Galloping On
[BmEm] A jockeys song
Clear the **[D]** last in front
Let them follow me **[C]** home
And I went - **[G]** Galloping On
[BmEm] A jockeys song
Clear the **[D]** last **stop** in front

Let them follow me[C] home **one strum**

Let them follow me[G] home **2,3,4,5,6,7,8**

[G] I was born to be a racehorse
And was at [C] last given my chance
[Am] I got trained up, got superfit
Was [C] taught to run and dance
I was[G] entered at Warwick races
Where I was [C] punted off the board
Backed [Am] in from 10 to 1 to twos
And [C] then I duly scored

Despite being [G] small
I had a big [BmEm] heart
I jumped the [C] fence line
That was my [G] start **X 2 stop**

And I went - [G] Galloping On
[BmEm] A jockeys song
Clear the [D] last in front
Let them follow me[C] home
And I went - [G] Galloping On
[BmEm] A jockeys song
Clear the [D] last in front
Let them follow me[C] home **2,3 stop**
Let them follow me[G] home **2,3,4,5,6,7,8**

[G] Six years of racing I've enjoyed
And I'm [C] retired to my irish field
Won [Am] 28 of 40 starts
All my [C] war wounds have now healed
No-[G] one ignores me anymore
I'm a [C] legend of my game
[Am] The slightest horse to win a chase
And a [C] place in the hall of fame

Cos I was **[G]** small
But I had a big **[BmEm]** heart
Just a **[C]** pony
No chance of a **[G]** start **X 2 stop**

And I went - **[G]** Galloping On
[BmEm] A jockeys song
Clear the **[D]** last in front
Let them follow me **[C]** home
And I went - **[G]** Galloping On
[BmEm] A jockeys song
Clear the **[D]** last in front
Let them follow me **[C]** home **2,3 stop**
Let them follow me **[G]** home **dither finish**