*1st verse sing with only single down strums on chord changes* 

{C} When I was a little bitty baby
My mama would {F} rock me in the {C} cradle
In them {C} old cotton fields back {G} home;
It was {C} down in Louisiana,
Just about a {F} mile from Texar{C}kana
In them old {G} cotton fields back {C} home.

## **Chorus**

Oh when them

[F] cotton balls get rotten.
You can't [C] pick very much cotton
In them old cotton fields back [G] home;
It was [C] down in Louisiana,
Just about a [F] mile from Texar[C]kana
In them old [G] cotton fields back [C] home.

Now it [C] may seem very funny.

But you don't [F] make very much [C] money
In them old cotton fields back [G] home;
Yes it [C] may seem very funny.

But you don't [F] make very much [C] money
In them old [G] cotton fields back[C] home.

'Cause when them

Chorus

Instrumental of Chorus (+ Kazoo)

Oh when them

Chorus

It was [C] down in Louisiana,

Just about a [F] mile from Texar[C]kana

In them old [G] cotton fields back [C] home.

In them old [G] cotton fields back [C] home. [G↓] [C↓]