

Down In The Boondocks

Tab Chords And Lyrics

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Intro -A

A D
Down in the boondocks - Down in the boondocks
E D A
People put me down 'cause that's the side of town I was born in
D
I love her and she loves me - But I don't fit her society
E D A
Lord have mercy on a boy from down in the boondocks

D A
Every night I will watch the light from the house upon the hill
D Db Gbm
I love a little girl that lives up there, I guess I always will
D E D E
But I don't dare knock on her door-Her daddy is my boss man
D E D E
So I'll just have to be content-To see her whenever I can

Ch

A
Down in the boondocks, down in the boondocks
D A
One fine day I'll find a way - to move from this old shack
D Db Gbm
I'll hold my head up like a king - I never never will look back
D E D E
Until that morning I'll work and slave - And I'll save every dime
D E D E
But tonight she'll have to steal away - To see me one more time

Ch

E D A
Lord have mercy on a boy from down in the boondocks (3)