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# MAN OF CONSTANT SORROW

"Songs of Salvation to Save the Soul"

[ 1950s Stanley Bros >>> O Brother 2000 - Dan Tyminski ]

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All Downs G

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G Down-ups

G\* 0233 = G/c

\_ in con stant sor \_ row \_ \_ all through his days \_ \_ \_ \_

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G G G G C C D D7 G G\*  
| I | am a | man | of constant | sorrow | I've seen | trouble | all my | days | |  
G G G G C C D D7 G  
| I | bid fare | well | to old Ken | tucky | the place where | I | was born and | raised |  
G D D7 G  
| The place where | he | was born and | raised \_ \_ \_ / G / C / D / G / G /

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G G G G C C D D7 G G\*  
| For | six long | years | I've been in | trouble | no pleasures | here | on earth I | found | |  
G G G G C C D D7 G  
| For | in this | world | I'm bound to | ramble | I have no | friends | to help me | now |  
G D D7 G  
| He has no | friends | to help him | now \_ \_ \_ / G / C / D / G / G /

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G G G G C C D D7 G G\*  
| It's | fare thee | well | my old true | lover | I never ex | pect | to see you a | gain | |  
G G G G C C D D7 G  
| For | I'm bound to | ride | that northern | railroad | perhaps I'll | die | upon this | train |  
G D D7 G  
| Perhaps he'll | die | upon this | train \_ \_ \_ / G / C / D / G / G /

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G G G G C C D D7 G G\*  
| You | can bury | me | in some deep | valley | for many | years | where I may | lay | |  
G G G G C C D D7 G  
| Then | you may | learn | to love a | nother | while I am | sleep | ing in my | grave |  
G D D7 G  
| While he is | sleep | ing in his | grave \_ \_ \_ / G / C / D / G / G /

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G G G G C C D D7 G G\*  
| May... | ..be your | friends. think. | I'm just a | strang. er. | my face you'll | nev. er. | ..see no | more | |  
G G G G C C D D7 G  
| But... | ..there is one | pro. mise. | ..that is | giv. en. | I'll meet you | on | God's golden | shore |  
G D D7 G / G / C / C / D / D / G / G / G1  
| He'll meet you | on | God's golden | shore \_ \_ \_ | hammer on slowly