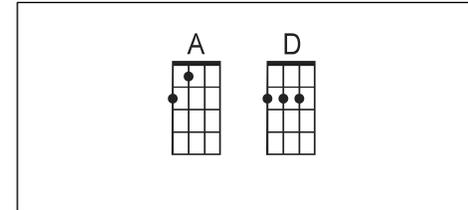


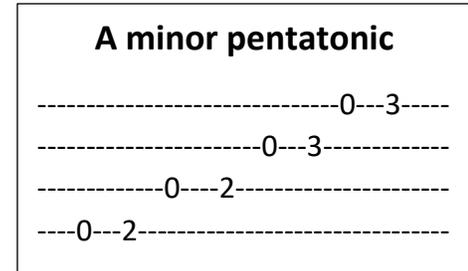
Copperhead Road (Steve Earl)

Key: A, 4/4 time Starting note: string 2, fret 3 (g)



Intro: [A] [A] [A] [A]

Well [A]my name's John Lee [A]Petti more [A] [A]
[A]Same as my daddy and his [A]daddy before [A] [A]
You [A]hardly ever saw Gran [A]daddy down here [A] [A]
He [A]only come to town about [A]twice a year [A] [A 123]



'd buy a [A]hundred pounds of yeast and some [A]copper line [A] [A]
[A]Everybody knew that he [A]made moonshine [A] [A]

Now the[D]revenue man wanted [D]Grandaddy bad
He [A]headed up the holler with eve [A]rything he had
[D]'Fore my time but[D] I've been told
He [A]never come back from Cop[A]perhead Road

[A] [A] [A] [A]

Now [A]Daddy ran whiskey in a [A]big block Dodge [A] [A]
[A]Bought it at an auction at the [A]Mason's Lodge [A] [A]
[A]Johnson County Sheriff painted [A]on the side [A] [A]
Just [A]shot a coat of primer then he [A]looked in side [A] [A]

Well [A]him and my uncle tore that [A]engine down [A] [A]
I [A]still re member that [A]rumblin' sound [A] [A 123]

Then the [D]Sheriff came around in the [D]middle of the night
[A]Heard mama cryin', knew [A]something wasn't right
He was[D]headed down to Knoxville with the [D]weekly load
[A]You could smell the whiskey burnin' down [A]Copperhead Road [A] [A] [A] [A 123]

I volun[A]teered for the Army on [A]my birthday [A] [A]
They [A]draft the white trash first, 'round [A]here any way [A] [A 123]
I done[A] two tours of duty in [A]Viet nam [A] [A]
[A]I came home with a [A]brand new plan [A] [A]

I take the [A]seed from Columbia and [A]Mex ico [A] [A]
Just [A]plant it up the hol ler down [A]Copperhead Road

[A] [A] [A] [A 123]

And now the[D]D.E.A.'s got a [D]chopper in the air
[A]wake up screaming like I'm [A]back over there
I [D]learned a thing or two from [D]Charlie don't you know
You [A]better stay away from [A]Copperhead Road [A] [A] [A]

[A] // Cop per head [A] Ro- ad [A] [A] (Repeat a pack of times!)