

CABBAGE

(Boil Them Cabbage Down)

alternate dulcimer chords >> 2 3 3 2 3 4

Key: D

[CHORUS] 0) Bile them cab - bage down ___ boys, ___ bake them hot - cakes
 1) Pos - sum up a sim - mon tree, ___ Rac - coon on the
 2) Rac - coon has a bush - y ___ tail, ___ Pos - sum's tail is
 3) Jay - bird died with whoo - pin' cough, Spar - row died with

D	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
D	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	2

4 brown ___ boys, the on - ly song that I can ___ sing is
 ground. ___ Rac - coon says to `the pos - sum, "Won't you
 bare. ___ Rab - bit's got no tail at all, but a
 4 colic. ___ A - long come `the frog with `a fid - dle on his back, `In -

1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3

7 boil them cab - bage down.
 shake them sim - mons down?"
 little bitty bunch of hair.
 7 quirin' his way to frolic.

0	0	1	1	0
0	0	0	0	0
2	2	1	1	0

OTHER WAYS to play "Cabbage"

ALTERNATE VERSES:

- 1) Possum up a simmon tree, Racoon on the ground.
Racoon says to the possum, "Won't you shake them simmons down?"
- 2) Someone stole my 'ol coon dog, I wish they'd bring him back.
He chased the big hogs o'er the fence, and the little ones through the cracks.
- 3) Went upon the mountain top, to give my horn a blow.
Thought I heard my true love say, "Yonder comes my beau."

1) play alternate dulcimer chords (see chords above)

2) invert 'basic' D & G chords: D 2 G 3
 0 1
 0 0

3) play harmony: go up 2 frets from the melody tab

4) play bass: play melody on the bass string.

5) play octave higher: by starting on fret 9