

Lily Of The West  
Dead Horses

[Intro]

C Dm G Am C G Am

[Verse 1]

Am G  
When I first came to Louisville

Am  
Pleasure there to find

G  
Damsel there from Lexington

F Am  
A pleasure to my mind

F G  
Her rosy cheeks, her ruby lips

Am  
Like arrows pierced my breast

G  
The name she bore was Flora

Am  
Lily of the west

[Instrumental]

Am C G Am

[Verse 2]

Am G  
I courted lovely Flora

Am  
Pleasure for to find

G  
She s tryin to find another man

Am  
Which sore distressed my mind

F G  
She robbed me of my liberty

Am  
Deprived me of my rest

G  
I was betrayed by Flora

Am  
Lily of the west

[Instrumental]

Am C G Am

[Verse 3]

Am G

I stood upon my rival

**Am**

Dagger in my hand

**C**

**G**

I seized him by the collar

**F** **Am**

Boldly made him stand

**F** **G**

Seemed mad by desperation

**Am**

I pierced him to his breast

**G**

All this for lovely Flora

**Am**

Lily of the west

[Instrumental]

**Am C G Am G Am**

[Verse 4]

**Am** **G**

I had to stand my trial

**Am**

I had to make my plea

**C**

**G**

They put me in the witness box

**Am**

Then commenced to me

**F** **G**

Although she swore my life away

**Am**

Deprived me of my rest

**G**

Still I love my faithless Flora

**Am**

Lily of the west

[Reprise]

**Am** **G**

Still I love my faithless Flora

**Am**

Lily of the west

[Outro]

**Am G Am G Am G Am**