

The Mans Too Strong Dire Straits

INTRO:

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                                C (strums)    C (strums)
e |-----0-----0-----
B |-----1-----1-----
G |-----0h2-2-2-2---2-2-0-----2-0-----0-----0-----0-----
D |--0--3-----3-0-----2--2-----2-----2-----2-----0---
A |-----3-----3-3--3---3-----1-----
E |-----

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      Bb          Dm    Dm
e |--1-----1-----1-----
B |--3-----3-----3-----
G |--3-----2-----2-----0h2-2-2-2- etc.
D |--3-----3p0--0--0-----0--0-----0h3--3-----
A |--1-----3-----3-----
E |-----

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Dm                                  C
I am just an aging drummer-boy, and in the wars I used to play
        Bb                                  Dm
And I ve called a tune to many a torture session.
Dm                                  C
Now they say I am a war criminal, and I m a-fading away.
Bb
Father, please hear my confession.

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      G                          D
I have legalized robbery and called it belief
      G                          D
I have run with the money, I have hid like a thief
      G                          D
I have rewritten history with my armies and my crooks
D          C          Am          D
Invented memories,      I did burn all the books
          Dm                                C          Em
And I can still hear his laughter, and I can still hear his song
Emsus2          Em          D          C    D    C
          The man s too big, the man s too strong

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C Cm G Gm etc.

For chords, play the Dm, D, C, Em, Am and G as open. Play the Bb in 1st position. I play the Emsus2, Gm and Cm as: