

**Head Strong
Groundation**

Groundation is a roots reggae band from the bay area in California. They already have 4 albums out.

Dm **C**
What was learned from my father, yes I ll teach it to my son
Dm **C**
What was learned from my mother, yes I ll teach it to my daughter
Dm **C**
For you must remember my friend, the line of history stretches far beyond we
Dm **C**
And still we stand time, and time again as a tribute to them

(we ll call this the pre-chorus)

C **Dm** **Am** **G**
Well now tell me if there s one thing that you re wanting, you gotta let me know
Dm **Am** **G**
Tell me something, tell me anything, why did they all have to go
Dm **Am** **G**
For if there s one thing, that you re wanting, you gotta let me know
Dm **Am** **G**
Say something, say anything, before I have to go, for Zion is awaiting

(chorus)

Dm **Am** **G**
Jah people in this life, you got to be head strong, head strong
Dm **Am** **G**
Teach your children right, or they won t live too long, too long
Dm **Am** **G**
Jah people in this life, you got to be head strong, head strong
Dm **Am** **G**
Live up in the right, or you won t live too long, too long

Dm **Am** **Dm** **Am** **Dm** **Am** **Dm** **Am...**

(Right here there there is a long instrumental part with the singer singing just a few things in the distance, play those chords until it ends)

Dm **C**
What was learned from my father, yes I ll teach it to my daughter
Dm **C**
What was learned from my mother, yes I ll teach it to my son

Dm

C

For it was them who said, don t get mixed up in your knowledge of today...

(And then head on back up to the pre-chorus and chorus for one more round, and that s it.)

1st Groundation song submitted, I hope someone enjoys this.