

Takin The Country Back

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Song: Takin the Country Back
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Sung By: John Anderson
Written By: Curtis Wright and Marty Stuart
Let s take the country back!!

Intro: **D C G** (x2)?

D **C** **G**
D
Goin down to Muscle Shoals * Where the swamp water rhythm **C** **G**
D
flows * Live the only way I know * I m just a common man * Headed **C** **G** **D**
down to Texas way * Where the honky tonk heroes play * Gonna find **C** **G**
D
that lost highway * That s where I ll make a stand *

Chorus:

D **C** **G** **D**
Takin the country back * It s high time we face the facts * Heart and **C**
G **D**
soul slippin through the cracks * We re takin the country back * **C** **G**
D
Takin the country back * We re not sure just where it s at * We ve **C**
G **D**
got to get it back on track * We re takin the country back *

(same chords as above)

Bright lights and limousines * Fame and fortune I have seen * Still

searchin for that dream * It s callin me back home * Down to earth
where the music s real * Singin bout what the people feel * Timeless
truth, now that s the deal * We got to pass in on, y all * (Chorus x 3)

(after 3 chorus)

D **C** **G** **D** **C** **G**
D
We re takin the country back * Takin the country on back *

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