

**Me And My Uncle**

**John Denver**

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Enjoy the following selection from John Denver s "Wildlife Concert"

Me and My Uncle  
John Phillips/John Denver (klr)

[Am] Me and my Uncle went a ridin down  
>From Colo [C] rado, West Texas [E] bound  
We stopped [Am] over in Sante Fe,  
Part it [C] being about half [E] way  
[Am] Besides it was the [E] hottest part of the [Am] day

[Am] We led our ponies into the stall  
Went to a [C] bar boys bought drinks for [E] all  
Two days in the [Am] saddle, my body hurt  
It being [C] summer, I took off my [E] shirt  
And [Am] tried to wash off [E] some of that dusty [Am] dirt

[Am] West Texas cowboys all over town  
With gold and [C] silver, they re loaded [E] down  
Just in from [Am] round up you know it seemed a shame  
So my [C] Uncle starts a friendly [E] game  
A [Am] hollow jack the [E] winner takes the [Am] gain

[Am] From the beginning my Uncle started to win  
Them Texas [C] cowboys they was as mad as [E] sin  
Some said he s [Am] cheatin , ah but that can t be  
Because my [C] Uncle, he s as honest as [E] me  
And [Am] I m about as honest as a [E] Denver man can [Am] be

[Am] One of them cowboys you know he started to draw  
I grabbed a [C] bottle, slapped him on the [E] jaw

I had to shoot [Am] another, now he won t grow old  
In the [C] confusion, my Uncle grabbed the [E] gold  
And [Am] we hightailed it [E] down to Mexi [Am]co  
...Mexico...way down to Mexico

instrumental verse

[Am] God bless cowboys, God bless gold  
God bless my [C] Uncle, God rest his [E] soul  
He taught me [Am] well Lord, taught me all I know  
Taught me so [C] well, that I grabbed the [E] gold  
[Am] Left him lying [E] there by the side of the [Am] road

I hope you all enjoyed that on.  
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