

The Battle Of New Orleans
Johnny Horton

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The Battle Of New Orleans chords
Johnny Horton (Jimmy Driftwood)

Capo I

G D
G C D G

G C
In 1814 we took a little trip
D7 G
Along with Col. Jackson down the mighty mississip d
C
We took a little bacon and we took a little beans
D7 G
And we caught the bloody British in a town in New Orleans.

G
We fired our guns and the British kept a comin
D7 G
There wasn t as many as there was a while ago

We fired once more and they began to runnin
D7 G
On down the Mississippi to the Gulf of Mexico.

G C
We looked down the river and we see d the British come
D7 G
And there musta been a hund erd of em beatin on the drum
C
They stepped so high and they made their bugles ring
D7 G
We stood beside our cotton bales and didn t say a thing.

G
We fired our guns and the British kept a comin
D7 G
There wasn t as many as there was a while ago

We fired once more and they began to runnin

D7 **G**

On down the Mississippi to the Gulf of Mexico.

G **C**

Old Hickory said we could take em by surprise

D7 **G**

If we didn't fire our musket till we looked em in the eyes

C

We held our fire till we see'd their faces well

D7 **G**

Then we opened up with squirrel guns and really gave em ... Well -

G

We fired our guns and the British kept a comin

D7 **G**

There wasn't as many as there was a while ago

We fired once more and they began to runnin

D7 **G**

On down the Mississippi to the Gulf of Mexico.

G

Yeah! they ran through the briars and they ran through the brambles

D7 **G**

And they ran through the bushes where a rabbit couldn't go

They ran so fast that the hounds couldn't catch em

D7 **G**

On down the Mississippi to the Gulf of Mexico.

G **C**

We fired our cannon till the barrel melted down

D7 **G**

So we grabbed an alligator and we fought another round

C

We filled his head with cannonballs and powdered his behind

D7 **G**

And when we touched the powder off, the gator lost his mind.

G

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