

**Where I Grew Up**  
**Kenny Chesney**

Artist: Kenny Chesney  
Song: Where I Grew Up

Capo on 4th fret - to match the CD

Intro: **G A D D**

**G A D**  
There s still marks on the pantry door of that little house

**G A D**  
Where Mama used to measure us

**G A Bm**  
I m proud to say that s my home where I was raised

**Em A**  
But that ain t where I grew up

**G**  
See, I gained a little on Father Time

**D/F#**  
The summer my Granddaddy died

**A**  
The first time I saw Mama cry

**D Em F#m**  
Man, that sure was tough  
**G**  
Felt like I put on a few years

**D D/C# G/B**  
Watching Daddy wipe her tears

**Em F#m G**  
In my little coat and tie standing in that cemetery mud

**A G A D**  
That s where I grew up

**G** **A** **D**  
My senior year, a case of beer out on the river bank

**G** **A** **D**  
Getting a head start on twenty one

**G** **A** **Bm** **G**  
That s the place that made me feel just like a man

**Em** **A**  
But that ain t where I grew up

**G**  
See I gained a little on Father Time

**D/F#**  
That night I crossed that center line

**A**  
I bet I rolled a dozen times  
**D** **Em** **F#m** **G**  
Next thing I knew I was waking up upside down

**D** **D/C#** **G/B**  
Praying God just get me out

**Em** **F#m** **G**  
Then I hit my knees beside what was left of my truck

**A** **G**  
Hey, that s where I grew up  
**A** **G** **A**  
You learn as you go, that s how you grow

**G**  
See, I gained a little on Father Time

**D/F#**  
When me and her, had our first big fight

**A**  
I said some things, I made her cry

**D** **Em** **F#m**  
She packed all her stuff

**G**  
The boy in me said let her go

**D** **D/C#** **G/B**  
But the man in me said pull her close

**Em F#m G A**

It was time to find out which one I was

**Em F#m G A**

Standing in a doorway holding on to love

**G A D G A D**

That s where I grew up oh thatâ€™s where I grew up