

## Branded

Marty Stuart

Song: Branded

Artist: Marty Stuart (& His Fabulous Superlatives)

Album: Ghost Train: The Studio B Sessions

Words and music by: Marty Stuart

Tuning: Standard

Capo: No capo

Intro: G

Well I m branded, wherever I go

Tryna outrun a bad story everybody seems to know

Might as well be wearin a ball and chain

Cos everywhere I travel I see a picture with a number by my name

Spent some time in San Francisco, locked up for vagrancy

I busted out a time or two, took a run at gettin free

They put me back in the jailhouse, I finished servin my time

Turned me loose, and the man s set to dog me to the end of the line

But I m branded, wherever I go

Tryna outrun a bad story everybody seems to know

Might as well be wearin a ball and chain

Cos everywhere I travel I see a picture with a number by my name

The trouble with the truth: it always comes around

It seems to be there waitin for me, in every town

Well I m guilty of the crime, of tryna get back home

Don t wanna bother nobody, just wanna be left alone

But I m branded, wherever I go

Tryna outrun a bad story everybody seems to know

**G C G**

Might as well be wearin a ball and chain

**G D G**

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