Grandpas Interview
Neil Young

Intro: (x3)
Cadd9 / **Am**
G7sus4 / **Cadd2**

Cadd9   **Am**
Grandpa, here s your coffee,
Cadd9   **Am**
Said Edith, as she filled his cup.
Cadd9   **Am**
Nobody ll find you here,
G7sus4   **Cadd2**
And Earl is glad you guys showed up.

Cadd9   **Am**
The way things are downtown,
Cadd9   **Am**
You might have to stay for a while,
Cadd9   **Am**
There was a helicopter hovering over your house
G7sus4   **Cadd2**
When I talked to your neighbor Kyle.

Cadd9   **Am**
Who the hell do they think they are,
Cadd9   **Am**
Invading our home like that?
Cadd9   **Am**
Grandma and I had to leave so fast,
G7sus4   **Cadd2**
We couldn t even catch the cat.

Cadd9   **Am**
The helicopter scared the shit out of him,
Cadd9   **Am**
And it took off down the trail,
Cadd9   **Am**
Down past the railroad track,
G7sus4   **Cadd2**
Towards the county jail.

BRIDGE 1:
Cadd9 / Am (x3)
G7sus4 / **Cadd2**

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Cadd9                            Am
Jed, you really screwed up now!
Cadd9                              Am
What did you have to do that for?
Cadd9                              Am
Everybody wants to hang your ass,
G7sus4              Cadd2
And here s a note from Lenore.


Cadd9                    Am
Sun touched the cold steel bars
Cadd9                        Am
As she pushed the paper in.
Cadd9                        Am
Jed took it up and read it
G7sus4              Cadd2
And he couldn t hide a grin.


Cadd9              Am
Outside the jail window
Cadd9                 Am
A crow flew across the sky,
Cadd9                            Am
Completely disappearing behind each bar,
G7sus4              Cadd2
Then a helicopter flew by.


Cadd9                         Am
Say hi to Earl and Edith.
Cadd9                         Am
Tell  em I m doing fine.
Cadd9                     Am
Tell  em you re ready to leave home now,
G7sus4              Cadd2
They should cut the line.


Cadd9                        Am
Can Grandma come and see me?
Cadd9                   Am
I got a new song to sing
Cadd9                                Am
It s longer than all the others combined
G7sus4                Cadd2
And it doesn t mean a thing.


BRIDGE 2: (x2)
Cadd9  / Am
G7sus4 / Cadd2


Cadd9              Am
The noise was unfamiliar,
Cadd9                   Am
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Walkie-talkies squelled,
Cadd9　　　　　　**Am**
Generators were running,
G7sus4　　　　　**Cadd2**
Vans parked in the field.

Cadd9　　　　　　**Am**
TV crews and cameras,
Cadd9　　　　　　　　　　**Am**
They wanted to interview Grandpa on the porch.
Cadd9　　　　　　　　　　　**Am**
They came through the gate and up on the lawn
G7sus4　　　　　　**Cadd2**
Knocking down Edith s Tiki Torch.

Cadd9　　　　　　　**Am**
And Grandpa saw them there,
Cadd9　　　　　　　　**Am**
Looking through the venetian blind.
Cadd9　　　　　　　　　**Am**
Those people don t have any respect,
G7sus4　　　　　　**Cadd2**
So they won t get any of mine.

Cadd9　　　　　　　　　**Am**
I ain t wanna talk about Jed.
Cadd9　　　　　　　　　　　　**Am**
I don t watch channel 2 or 6 or 9.
Cadd9　　　　　　　　　　**Am**
I don t have time to talk that fast,
G7sus4　　　　**Cadd2**
And it ain t my crime.

Cadd9　　　　　　　　　　　**Am**
It ain t an honor to be on TV
Cadd9　　　　　　　　　**Am**
And it ain t a duty either.
Cadd9　　　　　　　　　**Am**
The only good thing about TV
G7sus4　　　　　　　　　**Cadd2**
Is shows like Leave it to Beaver .

Cadd9　　　　　　　　**Am**
Shows with love and affection,
Cadd9　　　　　　　**Am**
Like Mama used to say.
Cadd9　　　　　　**Am**
A little Mayberry living
G7sus4　　　　**Cadd2**
Could go a long way.

Cadd9　　　　　　　　　　　　**Am**
He took Earl s gun down from the closet,

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Cadd9                      Am
Loaded up both barrels.
Cadd9                            Am
Went out on the porch and fired  em off,
G7sus4                    Cadd2
And up walked a woman named Carol.

Cadd9                    Am
Susan Carol from Early Magazine,
Cadd9                      Am
I got some questions to ask.
Cadd9                              Am
Well you can stick  em where the sun don t shine!
G7sus4              Cadd2
Grandpa said with a gasp.

Cadd9                              Am
Then he fell face first and let out a sigh,
Cadd9              Am
Edith came out in shock.
Cadd9                                Am
Grandpa was whispering to her from down on the floor,
G7sus4                        Cadd2
he looked like he was trying to talk.

Cadd9                Am
That guy just keeps singin !
Cadd9                    Am
Can somebody shut him up?
Cadd9                        Am
I don t know for the life of me
G7sus4                      Cadd2
Where he comes up with this stuff.

BRIDGE 3: (x3)
Cadd9 / Am
G7sus4 / Cadd2

Cadd9                      Am
They laid his head on a newspaper
Cadd9                              Am
With a picture of Carmichael on the front page,
Cadd9                        Am
Posing with the little league baseball team,
G7sus4                        Cadd2
And a seedy shot of Jed with a motorcycle.

Cadd9                      Am
Grandpa died like a hero,
Cadd9                        Am
Fighting for freedom of silence,
Cadd9              Am
Trying to stop the media,
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G7sus4   **Cadd2**
Trying to be anonymous.

BRIDGE 4: (x2)
Cadd9 / **Am**
G7sus4 / **Cadd2**

SOLO

Cadd9   **Am**
Share your loving and you live so long
Cadd9   **Am**
Share your loving and you live so long
Cadd9   **Am**
Share your loving and you live so long
G7sus4   **Cadd2**
Live so long