

**My Orphan Year Acoustic**  
**Nofx**

(intro) **C C/B Am F G**

**C**  
my father had dementia  
**Em**  
he lied in bed for months  
**Am**  
once in a while he d call me  
**F**  
and asked me to fly down  
**Dm**  
i told him that i d love to  
**F**  
but i had things to do and  
**C C/B Am**  
and so he died without his son  
**Dm F Fm**  
i heard about it drunk after a show

**C**  
my mother battled cancer  
**Em**  
for over 7 years  
**Am**  
i nursed her and i held her  
**F**  
when time was running out  
**Dm**  
the night before she left me  
**F**  
i drank scotch all night and thanked  
**C C/B Am**  
her for everything she d done  
**F Fm**  
raising me alone wasn t much fun

**C**  
so, dad, i can t forgive you  
**C/B**  
but i ll never forget  
**Dm**  
months i wouldn t see you  
**F**  
and when i did you d be  
**C**  
out with your friends all night  
**C/B**

alone and only 9

**Dm**

i watched The Outer Limits

**F**

scared out of my mind

**C**

i wonder if you felt the same  
the days before you died

**Am**

i wonder if you even knew  
why i wouldn t come around

**Dm**

i bet if you had been there  
there wouldn t be this song

**C**

2006

**Am**

good bye, parents

**F**

for once sincere

**C**

2006 - there was my orphan year

(End) **C C/B Am**