

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**