

Famous Tracheotomies
Okkervil River

[Verse 1]

G **D**
When I had my tracheotomy
Am
I was blue and had stopped breathing
Em **C**
There was something wrong with me
G **D**
Doctors cut through the cartilage and skin
Am
At the bottom of my throat
C **Am** **D**
And then they snaked that trach tube in

[Chorus 1]

Em **Em**
And I was one and a half
Am
I was my parents only kid
Em **C**
And they had lost two before that
Em **Em** **C**
And growing up, I always knew how close I d come
D
Well, that must have been scary, Mom

[Verse 2]

G **D**
Gary Coleman, he was