

Angel From Montgomery

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Capo II

||: D G D G :||

D G D G
I am an old woman named after my mother

D G A D
My old man is another child that's grown old

D G D G
If dreams were thunder and lightning was desire

D G A D
This old house would've burnt down a long time ago

D C G D
Make me an angel that flies from Montgomery

D C G D
Make me a poster of an old rodeo

D C G D
Just give me one thing that I can hold on to

D G A D
To believe in this living is just a hard way to go

D G D G

D G D G
When I was a young girl I had me a cowboy

D G A D
Wasn't much to look at, just a free ramblin' man

D G D G
But that was a long time, and no matter how I try

D G A D
These dreams go back like a broken-down dam

D C G D
Make me an angel that flies from Montgomery

D C G D
Make me a poster of an old rodeo

D C G D
Just give me one thing that I can hold on to

D G Am7 D
To believe in this living is just a hard way to go

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D G D G
There's flies in the kitchen, I can hear them a-buzzin'

D G A D
But I ain't done nothin' since I woke up today

D G D G
How the hell can a person go to work in the morning

D G A D
Come home in the evenin', they got nothin' to say?

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