

**beatles - Rocky Raccoon**

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Rocky Raccoon

John Lennon and Paul McCartney (1968)

(Spoken:)

[Am7]Now somewhere in the Black Mountain hills of [D7]Dakota  
there lived a young boy named Rocky Rac[G7]coon  
And one day his woman ran off with another guy  
[C]Hit young Rocky in the eye  
[C/B]Rocky didn't like that,  
[Am7]he said I'm gonna get that boy [D7]  
So one d[G7]ay he walked into town  
and booked himself a r[C]oom in a local s[C/B]aloon

(Sing:)

[Am7]Rocky Raccoon, checked i[D7]nto his room,  
o[G7]nly to find Gideon's Bi[C]ble. [C/B]  
[Am7]Rocky had come, e[D7]quipped with a gun,  
to s[G7]hoot off the legs of his ri[C]val [C/B]  
His ri[Am7]val it seems, had b[D7]roken his dreams,  
by s[G7]tealing the girl of his fan[C]cy [C/B]  
Her n[Am7]ame was McGill, And she c[D7]alled herself Lil,  
but e[G7]veryone knew her as N[C]ancy [C/B]

Now she and her man, who called himself Dan,  
were in the next room at the hoedown  
Rocky burst in and grinning a grin,  
he said "Danny boy, this is a showdown."  
But Daniel was hot, he drew first and shot,  
and Rocky collapsed in the corner.

Am7 D7 G7 C C/B  
(instrumental)

Now the doctor came in, stinking of gin, and proceeded to lie on  
the table  
He said, "Rocky, you met your match,"  
but Rocky said, "Doc, it's only a scratch  
and I'll be better, I'll be better, Doc, as soon as I am able."

Now Rocky Raccoon, he fell back in his room only to find Gideons  
Bible  
Gideon checked out and he left it no doubt  
to help with good Rocky's revival.