

Key F guit. drop D tuning capo 3.

Build a Barn
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D, Em, F#m, G, A, Bm, C,
1, 2m, 3m, 4, 5, 6m, 7M

INTRO: D, G – D, D, D, A – D, D

VERSE

1 5 4 1
My Grandpa once told me how that old barn was made
1 5
Said I was just a boy though it seems like yesterday
1 5 4 1
In those days Daddy gave all he had and more
1 5 1
And mamma with her smile never let on we were poor
5 1 1/3
Pastor put the word out and everybody came
4 1/3 2m 5
I was standing with my Pa looking out across the plains
1 5 4 1
There we saw them streaming cross that bare Dakota field
1 5 1
Walkin' in and ridin' on hooves, and wagon wheels

CHORUS

1 4 1
So come on build a barn with me
4 1 2m 5
There's nothing we can't do – together - it we try
6m 5 4 1
Bring Strong hands and family,
1 5 1
Get 'er done and have a hoe down before the night

VERSE

1 5 4 1
I remember as a little girl thinking that was sweet
1 4
And wishing I'd lived then within a small towns' reach
1 5 4 1
Then last night I got an evite from a friend of a friend
1 5 1
A mom of three whose pregnant needed help to make the rent

5 **1** **1/3#**
 Facebook said her man was givin' it his all
4 **1/3#** **2m** **5**
 Holdin' down the job and kids while she's in the hospital
1 **5** **4** **1**
 And there I saw us streaming cross the bare computer wires
1 **5** **1**
 A song of gifts and prayers just like an old church choir
 (chorus)

BRIDGE:

7b **4**
 Many hands make light work - Many hearts can heal
6m **5**
 Friends are friends in each and every age
7b **4**
 Bring it to the table - Bring it to the field
6m **5**
 It's good to know some things will never change

chorus X2