Lonesome Old River Blues - Roy Acuff



[Instrumental intro, verse pattern]

You left me [G]baby one year ago
But I still [C]love you, I'm mourning [G]low
Lord I'm blue and so downhearted
That lonesome old [D]river is my [G]home

[Instrumental]

I bought you [G]diamonds, fine clothes to wear Spent all of my [C]money but you don't [G]care Lord I'm blue and so downhearted That lonesome old [D]river is my [G]home

[Instrumental]

It's stormy [G]weather, the sun won't shine
If you don't [C]love me stay out of my [G]mind
Lord I'm blue and so downhearted
That lonesome old [D]river is my [G]home

[Instrumental]

It makes no [G]difference where I may roam
I'll always [C]love you, honey, come back [G]home
Lord I'm blue and so downhearted
That lonesome old [D]river is my [G]home

[Instrumental]

Going down to the [G]river, honey don't you weep Going to drown my [C]troubles where it's cold and [G]deep Lord I'm blue and so downhearted That lonesome old [D]river is my [G]home

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Flemons goes to the D where I have it above. Acuff does to it after "river".
Pass the first 2 leans of each verse around the table and sing the last 2 together.