

Stony Mountain Twist (Walt's Breakdown)

Walter Hensley, arranged for banjo by M. Corcoran

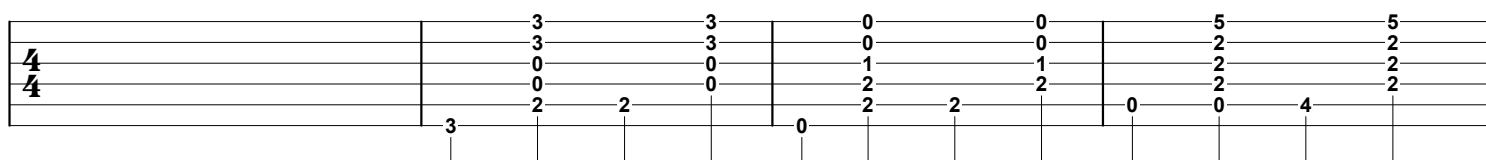
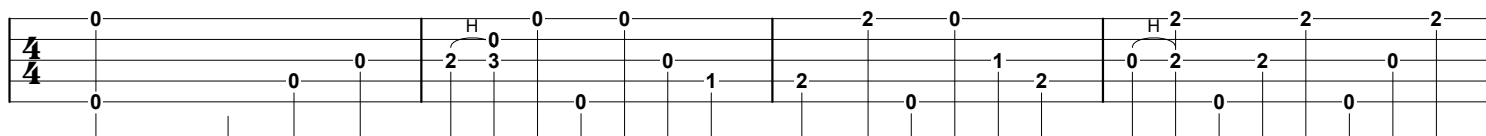
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Standard tuning (gDGBD)

Part A
G

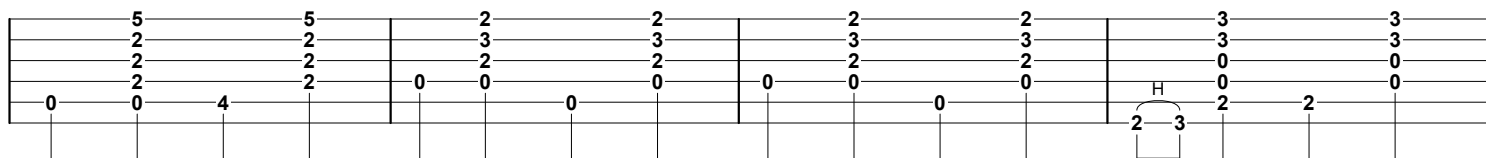
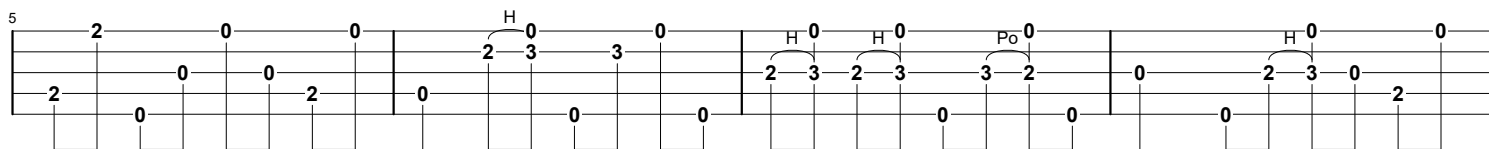
E

A



D

G



9

E A

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3 3 0 0 2 2 | 3 3 0 0 2 2 | 0 0 1 1 2 2 | 5 5 2 2 2 2 4

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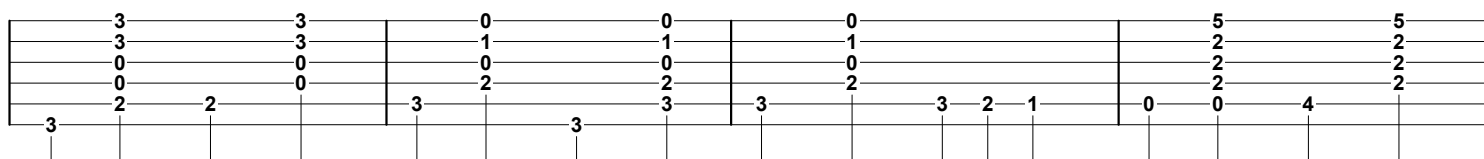
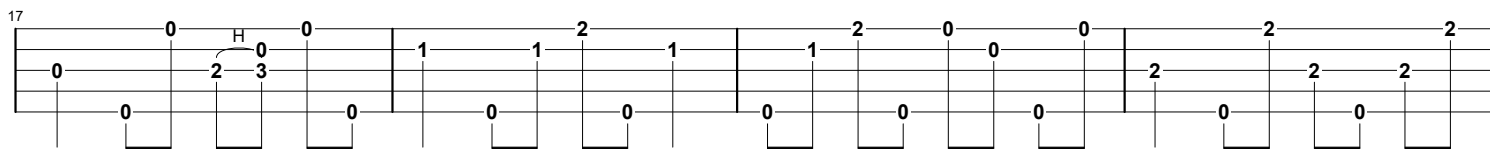
D G

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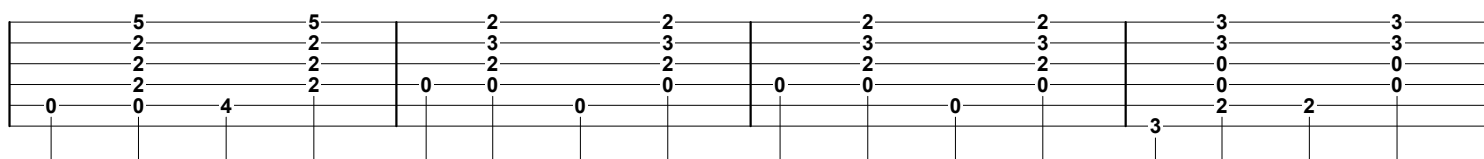
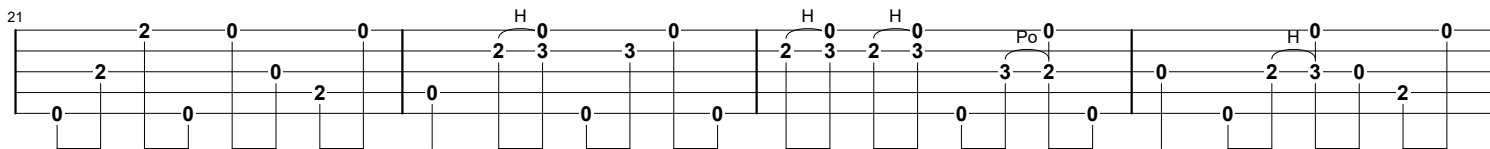
Part B
C

A



D

G



25

C A

29

D G

Part C

Keith tuner
2nd Str
AtoB

E

A
Keith tuner
2nd Str
BtoA

33

D
Keith tuner
3rd Str
GtoF#

Keith tuner
2nd Str
AtoB

G
Keith tuner
3rd Str
F#toG

Keith tuner
2nd Str
AtoB

38

43

E

A
Keith tuner
2nd Str
BtoA

D
Keith tuner
3rd Str
GtoF#

Keith tuner
2nd Str
AtoB

G
Keith tuner
3rd Str
F#toG

Variation Part A
G

E

48

52

A D

52 5 6 5 7 5 7 7 5 5 7 5 6 7 7 5 5 5 3 4 3 2 0 0 3 2 0

5 5 5 5 2 2 2 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

2 2 2 2 3 3 3 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

0 4 2 0 4 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

56

G E

56 0 2 3 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 3 0 5 4 5 6 5 4 6 5 4 6

3 3 3 3 3 3 0 0

3 3 3 3 3 3 0 0

0 0 0 0 0 0 2 2

0 2 2 3 2 2 2 2

60

A D

5 6 5 7 5 7 7 0 0

5 9 7 5 0

6 7 7 7 9 10 10 10 10

10 10 10 10 10

5 2 2 2 0

5 2 2 2 0

2 3 2 0

2 3 2 0

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G Outro

8 11 9 8 9 0 2 4 0

2 5 5 0 2 0 0 0

2 0 0 0 3 2 0

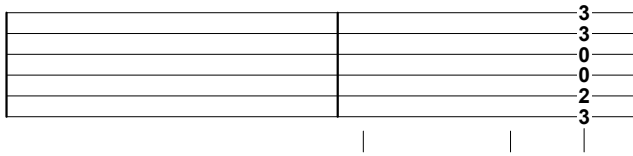
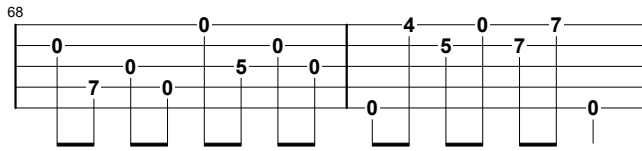
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3 3 0 0 2 2 0

1 2 0 2 0

3 3 0 0 2 2 0

3 3 0 0 2 2 0



1. Recorded by Walter Hensley as Stoney Mountain Twist and then as Walt's Breakdown, later recorded by J. D. Crowe as Stony (sic) Mountain Twist. For several years Hensley was the banjo player with Earl Taylor and the Stoney Mountain Boys.
2. Crowe reversed the order of Hensley's original A and B parts, and I prefer Crowe's arrangement, as tabbed out here.