When I Was a Little Boy

CAPO 5

Gm(Dm)   Am(Em)

1.   When   I   was   a   lit - - tle   boy   to
2. I   bought   my - - self   a   lit - - tle   hen,   of
3. I   bought   my - - self   a   lit - - tle   bull,   a - -

4. I   bought   my - - self   a   flock   of   sheep   and
5. I   bought   my - - self   a   lit - - tle   box   a - -

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Lon - - don   I   did   go,   But
her   I   took   great   care;   I
- bout   three   inch - - es   high;   The

most   of   them   were   wethers;
- bout   three   ac - - - - res   square;   I

[Gm(Dm)]

now   I've   turned   a   rog - - uish   blade,   my
set   her   on   a   mus - - sel   shell   and she
peo - - ple   all   ad - - mir - - ed   me,   it's

Some - - times   they   brought   me   fine   wool,   some -
stowed   it   into   my   bree - - ches   pocket,   the

Dm(Am)   Gm(Dm)

cour - - age   it   will   show.   My _____
hatched   me   out   a   hare.   The _____
for   to   hear   him   cry.   The _____

- times   they   brought   me   feathers.   They _____
guin - - eas   they   were   there.   Now the

[Gm(Dm)]   Am(Em)

feet	was	on	the	ta	-	- ble,	sir,	my
hare	grew	up	a	milk	-	- white	steed	a - -
peo	- - ple	all	ad	-	- mir	- - ed	me	for he

| were | as | fine | a | flock, | sir, | | as |
| peo | - - ple | all | ad | - | - mir | - - ed | me, | they |

Dm(Am)   Gm(Dm)   Dm(Am)

head	was	hang	-	- ing	down,	And	I
- bout	eight	-	- een	yards	high,	And	if
made	such an	aw	-	- ful	sound,	He _____	

| any | - - one | could | pos | - | - sess, | For _____ | |
| thanked | me for | what | I'd | done, | And | they |

Gm(Dm)   Am(Em)   Gm(Dm)   Am(Em)

jump	- - ed	o	-	- ver	King	- - ston's	Hill _____	and
any	- - one	tell	you a	big	-	- ger	sto - ry,	I'll
made	the	steeple	of	St.	Paul's	Church ___	come

| ev' | - - ry | month | or | six | weeks' | time _____ | they |
| gave | me a | portion | of | silver | and | gold _____ | a - - |

Dm(Am)   Gm(Dm)

nev	-	- er	touched	the	ground,	With	my
tell	you it's a	bold	-	- faced	lie.	With	my
tum	-	- bling	to	the	ground.	With	my

| brought | me six | lambs | a | - | - piece. | With | my |
| - bout | ten | thous | - | - and | ton. | With | my |

[Gm(Dm)]   Dm(Am)   Gm(Dm)

| too | - ral lad | - dy, | whack fol | lad | - dy, | too | - ral loo | - ral | ling. |

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