

# Woodcutter's Song

CAPO 2

Bm(Am) G(F) A7(G7) D(C)

1. Oak logs will warm you well That are old and dry.  
 2. Holly logs will burn like wax, You could burn them green.  
 3. Pear logs and apple logs They will scent your room. And

Bm(Am) D(C) Em(Dm) Bm(Am) F#m(Em)

Logs of pine will sweet - - ly smell, \_\_\_\_\_ But the sparks will fly.  
 Elm logs burn like smol - der - ing flax, With no flame to be seen.  
 cher - ry logs ac - ross \_\_\_\_\_ the dogs \_\_\_\_\_ Smell like flowers a bloom.

Bm(Am) D(C) F#m(Em)

Birch logs will burn too fast. Chest - nut scarce at all, \_\_\_\_\_ sir. And  
 Beech logs for win - ter time. Yew \_\_\_\_\_ logs as well, \_\_\_\_\_ sir. Green  
 But ash logs smooth and gray Buy them green or old, \_\_\_\_\_ sir. And

Bm(Am) F#m(Em) Bm(Am) Em(Dm)

haw - - thorne logs are known \_\_\_\_\_ to last  
 eld - - - er logs it is \_\_\_\_\_ a crime,  
 buy up all that come \_\_\_\_\_ your way

Bm(Am) D(C) Bm(Am)

That are cut down in the fall, sir.  
 For \_\_\_\_\_ an - - y man to sell, sir.  
 For they're worth their weight in gold, sir.

CHORUS

[Bm(Am)]                      D(C)                      Bm(Am) F#m(Em)                      Bm(Am)                      Em(Dm)

Sure -ly    you will    find    there's    none com - pare with a    hard - wood log

Bm(Am) D(C)                      Bm(Am)

That are    cut    in win - ter    time,    sir.

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