

Father, Father

Mountain Dulcimer: D-A-dd and D-A-AA

Arrangement: Steve Smith

	D	A	D		G	D
	1. Fa - ther, fa - ther, make	ther, wife, make	I am mar - ried.		no ob - jec - tion;	
	2. Wife, O wife,					
	4 4 4 6+				7 4 3 2	
D-A-dd	5 5 5 7	7 7 7 8			7 5 3 3	
	7 - 7 - 7 - 8 -				9 - 7 - 5 - 4 -	
	0 0 0 0				0 0 0 0	
D-A-AA	7 7 7 9	9 9 9 11			10 7 6 5	
	10 - 10 - 10 - 11 -				12 - 10 - 8 - 7 -	

	G	G	D		A	D
	Would that I had	long er tar - ried;			rec - tion.	
	You must live by	my - di - rec - tion.				
	5 5 5 5	4 0 1 0			5 0 0 0	
	6 6 6 6	5 0 0 0			4 - 2 - 1 - 0 -	
	5 - 5 - 7 - - 5	4 - 2 - 1 - 0 -				
	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0			0 0 0 0	
	6 6 8 6	5 3 2 0			5 3 2 0	
	8 - 8 - 10 - - 8	7 - 5 - 4 - 3 -				

	D	G	D		D	G	D
	For my wife she	does de - clare,			de - clare,		
	Wife, O wife, I	do de - clare,					
	2 3 2 2	2 3 2			3 3 3		
	3 3 3 3	3 3 3			4 - 5 - 4 - - -		
	4 - 5 - 4 - 2 -	4 - 5 - 4 - - -					
	0 0 0 0	0 0 0			0 0 0		
	5 6 5 3	5 6 5			5 6 5		
	7 - 8 - 7 - 5 -	7 - 8 - 7 - - -			7 - 8 - 7 - - -		

	A	A	D		D	D
	That the brit - ches	she will wear.			will wear!	
	That the brit - ches	I will wear!				
	6+ 6+ 6+ 7	7 7 7			7 7 7	
	7 7 7 7	7 7 7			7 7 7	
	8 - - 8 8 - 7 -	9 - 7 - 7 - - -			9 - 7 - 7 - - -	
	0 0 0 0	0 0 0			0 0 0	
	9 9 9 7	10 7 7			10 7 7	
	11 - - 11 11 - 10 -	12 - 10 - 10 - - -			12 - 10 - 10 - - -	