

(Ghost) Riders in the Sky

Stan Jones (Arr. Wayne Richmond, 2021)

v1 --> v2 --> Chorus --> Instrumental verse
v3 --> v4 --> Chorus --> Turnaround x2 --> bar 22 --> Dm

4 bars of guitar

T. **Dm** **F**
1. An old cow-poke went rid-in' out one dark and wind-y day. Up -
horns are black & shin-y and their hooves are made of steel. Their
fac - es guant, their eyes are blurred, their shirts all soaked with sweat. They're
rid - ers loped on by him, he heard one call his name. If you

V.1 *pizz*
Vc.

5 **Dm**
T.
on a ridge he rest - ed as he rode a - long his way. When
brands were still on fi - re and their hot breath he could feel. A
rid - in' hard to catch that herd, but they ain't caught 'em yet. 'Cause they've
want to save your sould from Hell a - rid - in' on our range, then

V.1
Vc.

7
T.
all at once a might - y herd of red - eyed cows he saw, a -
bolt of fear shot through him as they thun - dered through the sky, for he
got to ride for ev - er on that range up in the sky on
cow - boy, change your ways to - day or with us you will ride,

V.1
Vc.

9 **Bb**
T.
plow - ing through the rag - ged sky and
saw the Rid - ers com - in' hard and he
hors - es snot - in' fi - re, as they
tryin' to catch the Dev - il's herd, a -

V.1
Vc.

11 Gm Dm

1.

T. up a cloud - y draw.
heard their mourn - ful cry:
ride on hear 'em cry:
cross these end - less skies.

V.1

Vc.

14 Chorus F Dm

2.

T. Yippee yie aye, oh yippie yie oh,

S. Yippee yie aye, yippie yie oh,

A. Yippee yie aye, yippie yie oh,

B. Yippee yie aye, yippie yie oh,

V.1

Vc.

19 Bb Gm Dm Dm/A Gm Dm/F Am/E

T. ghost ri - ders in the sky. 2. Their
3. Their
4. As the

S. ghost ri - ders in the sky.

A. ghost ri - ders in the sky.

B. ghost ri - ders in the sky.

V.1

Vc.