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A DEMOCRATIC CAMPAIGN SONG

DON'T LET 'EM TAKE IT AWAY!



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Tune Ukulele A D F# B

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Marcato

Verse (Marcato)

Chord diagrams for the first line of the verse: F, Bb, C9, F, Bb, C9, F, Bb, C7.

Wise men say that his-to-ry re-peats And his-to-ry says the Dem-o-crats are

a - ble! The Dem-o-cratic Par-ty took ap-ples off the streets, And

put ap-ple pie on the tab-le! When - ev - er his - t'ry puts them to the

Dm7 G7 Dm7 G7 C7

test, A - mer - i - cans will al-ways choose the best.

rit *a tempo*

Chorus, Lively *with spirit*

F (clap)

1. The far-mer's farm-in' ev - 'ry day Mak - in' mon-ey and that ain't hay!
 2. The busi-ness man knows what's in sight He's a fel - low can sleep at night!

mf-f

F (clap hands) Gm7 C7 Gm

DON'T LET'EM TAKE IT A - WAY! _____ The work-er's work-in' ev'-ry day
 DON'T LET'EM TAKE IT A - WAY! _____ It's worth your while to stay a - live

Gm7 Gm6 Gm7 C7 F F7 (clap hands)

Drives to work in a new cou-pe DON'T LET'EM TAKE IT A - WAY! _____ They'll
 Ev - en af - ter you're six-ty-five DON'T LET'EM TAKE IT A - WAY! _____

Bb Bbm F

prom-ise you the sky They'll prom-ise you the earth But what's a Re - pub-li-can

G9 C7 F

prom - ise worth? So when E - lect - ion Day ap - pears Keep what you had for

D7 Gm Gm7 C7 Gb dim

(clap hands) (clap hands) (clap hands)

twen-ty years! Don't let em' take it! You helped to make it

C7 Gm7 C7 F Bb F

hands) (clap hands)

DON'T LET'EM TAKE IT A - WAY! 1. The WAY! 2. The WAY!

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VERSE

Wise men say that history repeats,
And history says the Democrats are able.
The Democratic Party took apples off the streets
And put apple-pie on the table!
Whenever hist'ry puts them to the test,
Americans will always choose the best.

1st CHORUS

The farmer's farmin' every day,
Makin' money, and that ain't hay!
(Clap, clap)
DON'T LET 'EM TAKE IT AWAY!

The worker's workin' every day,
Drives to work in a new coupe.
(Clap, clap)
DON'T LET 'EM TAKE IT AWAY!

They'll promise you the sky,
They'll promise you the earth!
But, what's a Republican promise worth?

So, when Election Day appears,
Keep what you've had for twenty years.
(Clap, clap)
DON'T LET 'EM TAKE IT,
(Clap, clap)
You helped to make it!
(Clap, clap)
DON'T LET 'EM TAKE IT AWAY!

2nd CHORUS

The bus'ness man knows what's in sight;
He's a fellow can sleep at night. (Clap, clap)
DON'T LET 'EM TAKE IT AWAY!

It's worth your while to stay alive,
Even after you're sixty-five! (Clap, clap)
DON'T LET 'EM TAKE IT AWAY!
(Repeat last half of first chorus.)

3rd CHORUS

Just take a look at your home town -
Homes goin' up as slums come down! (Clap, clap)
DON'T LET 'EM TAKE IT AWAY!
Behind a desk, behind a plow,
Ev'rybody's got a future now! (Clap, clap)
DON'T LET 'EM TAKE THAT AWAY!

(Repeat last half of first chorus.)

