**Thank God I’m a Country Boy**

**A A D**

**1) Well life's on a farm is kinda laid back,**

**2) When the work's all done and the sun's settin' low**

**3) I wouldn't trade my life for diamonds or jewels,**

**4) Well, my fiddle was my daddy's till the day he died,**

**A G E7**

**1) ain't much an old country boy like me can hack.**

**2) I pull out my fiddle and I rosin' up the bow.**

**3) I never was one of them money hungry fools.**

**4) and he took me by the hand and held me close to his side.**

**A D**

**1) It's early to rise, early in the sack:**

**2) But the kids are asleep so I keep it kinda low:**

**3) I'd rather have my fiddle and my farmin' tools:**

**4) He said: "Live a good life and play my fiddle with pride,**

**A E7 A**

**1) Thank God I'm a country boy.**

**2) Thank God I'm a country boy.**

**3) Thank God I'm a country boy.**

**4) and thank God you're a country boy.**

**A D**

**1) A simple kind of life never did me no harm,**

**2) I'd play "Sally Goodin'" all day if I could,**

**3) Yeah, city folk drivin in a black limou sine,**

**4) My daddy taught me young how to hunt and how to whittle,**

**A G E7**

**1) raisin' me a family and workin' on a farm.**

**2) but the lord and my wife wouldn't take it very good.**

**3) a lotta sad people thinkin' that's mighty keen.**

**4) he taught me how to work and play a tune on the fiddle.**

**A D**

**1) My days are all filled with an easy country charm:**

**2) So I fiddle when I can and I work when I should:**

**3) Well, folks let me tell you now exactly what I mean:**

**4) He taught me how to love and how to give just a little:**

**A E7 A**

**1) Thank God I'm a country boy.**

**2) Thank God I'm a country boy.**

**3) I thank God I'm a country boy.**

**4) Thank God you're a country boy.**

**A E7**

**Chorus: Well I got me a fine wife, I got me old fiddle.**

**A E7**

**When the sun's comin' up I got cakes on the griddle;**

**A D**

**and life ain't nothin' but a funny, funny riddle:**

**A E7 A**

**Thank God I'm a country boy.**