

Leatherwing Bat

trad.

Am C G G Em

1.Hi said the li - - ttle lea - ther - wing bat, I'll tell to you the rea - - son that
 2.Hi said the black - bird si - tting on a chair, _____ once I cour - ted a la - - dy fair
 3.Hi said the wood - pecker si - tting on a fence, _____ once I cour - ted a hand - some wench
 4.Hi said the ro - - bin as he flew, when I was young I had two
 5.Hoot said the owl with eyes so bright, a lone - some day, a lone - some night
 6.Hi said the li - - ttle tur - tle dove, I tell you how to win her love
 7.Hi said the blue bird a - - way he flew, if I were a young man I'd have, too

C Em G Bm Am

1.the rea - - son that I fly by night, _____ it's be - cause I lost my heart's de - light
 2.she got fickle and turned her back, _____ and ever since then I'm dressed in black
 3.she got scared and from me fled, _____ and ever since then my head's been red
 4.if one wouldn't love me the o - - ther would, _____ don't you think my no - tion's good
 5.thought I heard a pretty gal say, _____ court all night and sleep all day
 6.court her night and court her day, _____ never give her time to say your nay
 7.she got saucy and wanted to go, _____ I'd add the other string to my bows

F C D Am

How - - dy dow - - dy did - a - long - - day How - - dy dow - - dy did - a - long - - day

F C D Am C D Am

How - dy dow - dy did - a - long - - day _____ Hey lee lee lee lie lee lo _____