Dm F

- 1.An old cowpoke went riding out one dark and windy day,
- 2. Their brands were still on fire and their hooves were made of steel,

Dm F

- 1. Upon a ridge he rested as he went along his way,
- 2. Their horns were black and shiny and their hot breath he could feel,

 \mathbf{Dm}

- 1. When all at once a mighty herd of red eyed cows he saw,
- 2.A bolt of fear went through him as they thundered through the sky,

Bb

Dm

- 1,A-plowing through the ragged sky, and up the cloudy draw. (Verse 2)
- 2. For he saw the Riders coming hard, and he heard their mournful cry:



CHORUS:

Dm F
Yippie yi Ohhhhh!
Dm
Yippie yi Yaaaaay!
Bb Dm
Ghost Riders in ... the sky.

Dm F

- 3. Their faces gaunt, their eyes were blurred, their shirts all soaked with sweat, 4. As the riders loped on by him he heard one call his name,
 - Dm F
- 3. They're riding hard to catch that herd, but they ain't caught 'em yet,
- 4. If you want to save your soul from Hell a-riding on our range,

Dm

- 3. Cause they've got to ride forever on that range up in the sky,
- 4. Then cowboy change your ways today or with us you will ride,

Bb Dm

- 3.On horses snorting fire, as they ride on hear their cry. (Verse 4)
- 4. Trying to catch the Devil's herd, across these endless skies (Chorus)