

IT'S HARD TO BE HUMBLE

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Key: D **Start Note:** A **Time:** 3/4 **Strum:** D du du

Intro: D // D //

CHORUS:

D *A7*
..Oh, Lord it's hard to be humble, when you perfect in every way
A7 *D*
I can't wait to look in the mirror, 'cuz I get better lookin' each day
D7 *G*
To know me is to love me. I must be a hell of a man.
D *A7* *D*
Oh , Lord it's hard to be humble but I'm doing the best that I can.

D *A7*
1. I used to have a girlfriend, but I guess she just couldn't com-pete.
D
With all of these love starved women, who keep clamoring at my feet.
D7
Well I prob'ly could find me another, but I guess they're all in awe
G *D* *A7* *D*
of me. Who cares I never get lonesome 'cause I treasure my own company.

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D *A7*
2. I guess you could say I'm a loner, a cowboy outlaw tough and proud,

I could have lots of friends if I wanted, but then I wouldn't stand out in the
D
crowd.
D
Some folks say that I'm egotistical,

D7 G
Hell, I don't even know what that means.

D
I guess it has something to do with the way

A7 D
That I fill out my skin tight blue jeans

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D A7
Oh , Lord it's hard to be humble but we're doing the best

D
That we can.

OUTRO:

A7 D D↓
But we're doing the best that we can.