

Brother, Can You Spare A Dime

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[INTRO] (optional)

They [Am] used to tell me I was
building a [Em7] dream
And so I followed the [Dm] mob
When there was earth to plough
[Am] or guns to [Dm] bear
I was always there, right on the
[Em7] job

They [Am] used to tell me I was
building a [Em7] dream
With peace and glory a [Dm] head
Why should I be standing in line
Just [Em7] waiting for [Am] bread?

[VERSE]

[Am] Once I built a railroad, I [E7]
made it [A7] run
[D] Made it [G7] race against [C]
time [E7]
[Dm] Once I built a [E7] railroad,
[Am] now it's [F7] done
[Dm] Brother, can you [E7] spare a
[Am] dime?

[Am] Once I built a tower up [E7]
to the [A7] sun
[D] Brick and [G7] rivet and [C]
lime [E7]
[Dm] Once I built a [E7] tower
[Am] now it's [F7] done
[Dm] Brother, can you [E7] spare a
[Am] dime?

[CHORUS]

[A7] Once in khaki suits, gee we
looked swell
Full of that Yankee Doodle de-dum
[D7] Half a million boots went
sloggin' through hell
[Am] I was the kid with the [F7]
drum [E7]

[Am] Say, don't you remember they
[E7] called me [A7] Al
[D] It was [G7] Al all the [C] time
[E7]
[Dm] Say, don't you re[E7]member
[Am] I'm your [F7] pal
[Dm] Brother, can you [E7] spare a
[Am] dime?

[INSTRUMENTAL]

[REPEAT CHORUS]

[LAST LINE, BELOW]

[Dm] Buddy, can you [E7] spare a
[Am] dime?

