The Night The Lights Went Out In Georgia

[INTRO]	Gm F
Gm - Gm - Gm - Gm	Andy got scared and he left the bar
	Gm C
Gm F	Walking on home cause he didn't live far
He was on his way home from Candletop	Gm F Gm
Gm C	You see, Andy didn't have many friends and he just
Been two weeks gone and he thought he stop	lost him one
Gm F Gm	
at Web's and have him a drink 'for he went home to	Gm F
her	Brother thought his wife must've left town
	Gm C
Gm F	
	So he went home and finally found Gm F Gm
Andy Wo-Lo said hello	
Gm C	the only thing Daddy left him and that was a gun
he said 'Hi, what's a doing', Wo	C E
Gm F Gm	Gm F
said sit down, I got some bad news that's gonna hurt.	He went off to Andy's house
	Gm C
Gm F	Slipping through the woods as quiet as a mouse
Said I'm you best friend and you know that's right	Gm F Gm
Gm C	Come upon some tracks too small for Andy to make
But your young bride ain't home tonight	
Gm F Gm	Gm F
Since you've been gone she's been seeing that Amos	He looked through the screen at the back porch door
boy, Seth	Gm C
	He saw Andy lying on the floor
Gm F	Gm Dm Gm
He got mad and he saw red	In a puddle of blood, and he started to shake.
Gm C	
Andy said, Boy, don't you lose your head	G A
Gm F Gm	The Georgia Patrol was making their rounds
Cause to tell you the truth, I've been with her myself	D D
	so he fired a shot just to flag them down
	G A
	A big bellied sheriff grabbed his gun and said,
[CHORUS]	Dm
G A D	Why'd you do it?
That's the night that the lights went out in Georgia	
G A D	Gm F
That's the night that they hung an innocent man	The judge said guilty in a make believe trial
G A D	Gm C
Don't trust your soul to no backwoods Southern	Slapped the sherrif on the back with a smile
lawyer	Gm F Gm
G A Dm	And said suppers waiting at home and I got to get to
Cause the judge in the town's got blood stains on his	it
hands	[CHORUS]
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Gm F
They hung my brother before I could say
Gm C
the tracks he saw while on this way
Gm F Gm
to Andy's house and back that night were mine
Gm F
And his cheatin' wife had never left town
Gm C
That's one body that'll never be found
Gm F Gm
You see, little sister don't miss when she aims her
gun
[CHORUS]2x
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