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DOWN IN THE VALLEY  
(WRITTEN BY AN INMATE IN THE RALEIGH PRISON)

TRADITIONAL

The musical score is written on six systems, each with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The time signature is 3/4. The guitar part is indicated by letters (D, A) and numbers (0-3) on the strings. The lyrics are written below the notes.

System 1: Chord D. Lyrics: DOWN IN THE VAL - LEY,

System 2: Chord A. Lyrics: VAL - LEY SO LOW; HANG YOUR HEAD

System 3: Chord D. Lyrics: VER, HEAR THE WIND

System 4: Chord D. Lyrics: BLOW; HEAR THE WIND BLOW, DEAR,

System 5: Chord A. Lyrics: HEAR THE WIND BLOW; HANG YOUR HEAD

System 6: Chord D. Lyrics: VER HEAR THE WIND BLOW.

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If you don't love me, love whom you please,  
 Throw your arms 'round me, give my heart ease;  
 Give my heart ease, dear, give my heart ease,  
 Throw your arms 'round me, give your heart ease.

Roses love sunshine, violets love dew,  
 Angels in heaven know I love you;  
 Know I love you, dear, know I love you,  
 Angels in heaven know I love you.