

Lookin' Out My Backdoor by J.C. Fogerty

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Capo 3 for CCR key, No Capo for Chameleons

X = Muted Guitar

Intro: X X G Em C - G D - G

Verse 1:

G Em
Just got home from Illinois. Lock the front door, oh boy.
C - G D
Got to sit down, take a rest on the porch.
G Em
Imagination sets in, pretty soon I'm singin'
C - G D - G
Doo doo doo lookin' out my back door.

There's a giant doin cart wheels, a statue wearing high heels.
Look at all the happy creatures dancing on the lawn.
A dinosaur Victrola listenin' to Buck Owens,
Doo doo doo lookin out my back door

Chorus 1:

D C - G
Tambourines and elephants are playin in the band.
G - Em D
Won't you take a ride on the flyin spoon doo doo doo.
G Em
Wonderous apparition provided by magician,
C - G D - G
Doo doo doo lookin' out my back door.

Instrumental (same as verse): G Em C-G D G Em C-G D-G

Chorus 2:

D C - G
Tambourines and elephants are playin in the band.
G - Em D
Won't you take a ride on the flyin spoon doo doo doo.
G Em
Bother me tomorrow, today I'll find no sorrow
C - G D - G
Doo doo doo lookin' out my back door.

Break: X X-G-F#-F E D - A A - F#m E

Verse 2:

A F#m
Forward troubles Illinois. Lock the front door oh boy.
D - A E **Slow down...**
Look at all the happy creatures dancin on the lawn.
A F#m
Bother me tomorrow, today I'll find no sorrow.
D - A E - A **Back to speed...**
doo doo doo lookin out my back door.

Ending: X D - A E - A