

ME AND BOBBY McGEE

Kris Kristofferson (as sung by Janis Joplin)

INTRO:

[G]/[G]/[G]/[G]/

[G] Busted flat in Baton Rouge, waiting for a train
When I's [G] feeling nearly as faded as my [D7] jeans [D7]
[D7] Bobby thumbed a diesel down, just before it rained
That [D7] rode us all the way to New [G] Orleans [G]

I [G] pulled my harpoon out of my dirty red bandana
I's [G] playing soft while [G7] Bobby sang the [C] blues [C]
[C] Windshield wipers slappin' time
I was [G] holding Bobby's hand in mine
[D7] We sang every song that driver knew [D7]

[C] Freedom's just another word for [G] nothing left to lose
[D7] Nothin', it ain't nothing honey, if it ain't [G] free [G]
And [C] feeling good was easy, Lord, [G] when he sang the blues
You know [D7] feeling good was good enough for me [D7]
[D7] Good enough for me and my Bobby [G] McGee /[G]/[A]/[A]

From the [A] Kentucky coal mines, to the California sun
Yeah, [A] Bobby shared the secrets of my [E7] soul [E7]
Through [E7] all kinds of weather through everything we done
Yeah [E7] Bobby, baby, kept me from the [A] cold [A]

One [A] day up near Salinas, Lord, I let him slip away
He's [A] looking for that [A7] home, and I hope he [D] finds it [D]
But I'd [D] trade all of my tomorrows for one [A] single yesterday
To be [E7] holding Bobby's body next to mine [E7]

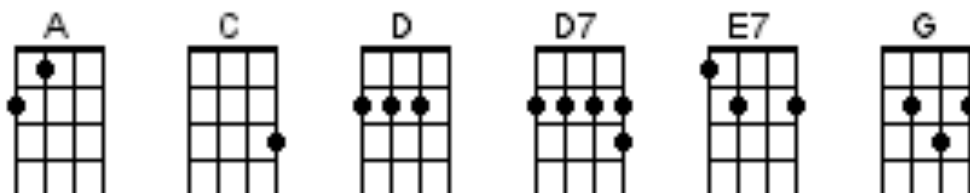
[D] Freedom's just another word for [A] nothing left to lose
[E7] Nothing, and that's all that Bobby left [A] me [A]
[D] Feeling good was easy, Lord, [A] when he sang the blues

Hey **[E7]** feeling good was good enough for me **[E7]**
[E7] Good enough for me and my Bobby Mc-**[A]**Gee **[A]**

La la **[A]** lah, la la **[A]** lah lah, la la **[A]** lah, la la la **[A]** lah
[A] La la lah, la **[A]** lah lah, Bobby Mc-**[E7]**Gee **[E7]** yeah
[E7] Lah la lah la **[E7]** lah lah, **[E7]** la la lah la **[E7]** lah
[E7] La la lah la **[E7]** lah lah, Bobby Mc-**[A]**Gee **[A]** yeah

La la **[A]** lah, la lala **[A]** lah lala lah la la **[A]**
Lalala **[A]** lah lala lah la la **[A]**
Hey now **[A]** Bobby, now Bobby Mc-**[E7]**Gee, yeah **[E7]**

Lo lo **[E7]** LO lo lo LO lo lo **[E7]** ah
Lololo **[E7]** LO lolo LO lolo **[E7]** LO lolo LO lolo **[E7]** ah
Hey now **[E7]** Bobby now now Bobby Mc-**[A]**Gee **[A]** yeah
Lord, I **[A]** called him my lover, I called him my man
I said I **[A]** called him my lover, did the best I can
C'mon, **[A]** hey now Bobby now, **[A]** hey now Bobby Mc-**[E7]**Gee yeah
[E7] Lo lo **[E7]** lord, a lord, a **[E7]** lord, a lord,
A **[E7]** lord, a lord, a **[E7]** lord, oh
[E7] Hey, hey, hey, Bobby Mc-**[A]**Gee, lord **[A]**↓



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