

POOR JENNY (F. & B. Bryant) per Phil and Don Everly

snappy "2-beat" feel

INTRO:

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A AA A ADA EEEEEEE

A F#m
I took my little Jenny to a party last night
F Dm
at ten o'clock it ended in a heck of a fight
A# A
when someone hit my Jenny she went out like a light
B E
. . . Poor Jenny!

A F#m
and then some joker went and called the cops on the phone
F Dm
so ev'rybody scattered out for places unknown
A# A
I couldn't carry Jenny so I left her alone
B E A
. . . Poor Jenny!

(bridge)

A G A G A
Jenny had her picture in the paper this mor-ning
D
. . she made it with a bang!
B A B A B
according to the story in the paper this mor-ning
E X (NC) E
Jenny is the leader of a teen-age gang!

A F#m
Jenny has a brother and he's hot on my trail
F Dm
her daddy wants to ride me out of town on a rail
A# A
I hope I'll be around when Jenny gets out of jail
B E A
. . . Poor Jenny!

(Repeat Intro)

A F#m
I went downtown to see her she was locked in a cell
F Dm
she wasn't very glad to see me that I could tell
A# A
in fact to tell the truth she wasn't lookin' too well
B E
. . . Poor Jenny!

A F#m
Her eye was black, her face was red, her hair was a fright
F Dm
she looked as though she'd been up cryin' half of the night
A# A
I told her I was sorry she said get out of sight
B E A
. . . Poor Jenny!

(bridge)
A G A G A
it seems a shame that Jenny had to go get apprehended
D
. . . a heck of a fate
B A B A B
this party was the first one she ever had attended
E X (NC) E
it had to happen on our very first date

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(repeat 1st bar of intro to fade)