FORBIDDEN JIMMY
John Prine

Intro:   G, C, D, G

G                                  D
FORBIDDEN JIMMY HAS GOT A MIGHTY SORE TOOTH
C     D              G
FROM BITING TOO MANY DIMES IN A TELEPHONE BOOTH
G                                D
HE'S GOT HALF OF HIS BOOTLACE TIED TO THE DIAL
C        D                    G
THANK YOU OPERATOR FOR GETTING JIMMY TO SMILE
G                                D
"CALL OUT THE COAST GUARD," SCREAMED THE POLICE
C      D                    G
FORBIDDEN JIMMY, HE'S GOT THREE WATER SKIS
G                                G        D
HE PUT TWO ON HIS WAVELENGTH AND GAVE ONE TO HIS GIRL
C       D                  G
SHE'S A MIGHTY FINE PERSON; IT'S A MIGHTY FINE WORLD

Chorus:
G                       C                             G
I'M GONNA MAKE ALL YOUR SORROWS BRIGHT, SET YOUR SOUL FREE
C                            D
I'LL SEE YOU TOMORROW NIGHT IF I CAN STILL SEE

G                 D                        C
GINGER CAPUTO AND DORIAN GRAY OUGHTTA STAY OUT OF PICTURES
D                      G
IF THEY GOT NOTHIN' TO SAY, STACK 'EM BACK ON THE RACK JACK
G                                D
YA KNOW, YOU'RE HURTING MY EYE
C     D                       G
FORBIDDEN JIMMY HE'S GETTING READY TO FLY

Instrumental: G, D, C, D, G, D, C, D, G

Repeat Chorus
G                                  D
I GOT CAUGHT COOKING POPCORN AND CALLING IT HAIL
C     D              G
THEY WANNA STICK MY HEAD INSIDE A WATER PAIL
G                                D
YA KNOW, THEY'RE GONNA BE SORRY THEY'RE GONNA PAY FOR IT TOO
C        D                    G
FORBIDDEN JIMMY HE'S COMING STRAIGHT AT YOU.

Instrumental and Ending: G, D, C, D, G, D, C, D, G

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