

Jambalaya Chords by Carpenters



JAMBALAYA (ON THE BAYOU)

As recorded by the Carpenters
(From the 1973 Album NOW & THEN)

[Intro]

G

[Verse 1]

G

D

Good-bye Joe, he gotta go, me oh my oh

G

He gotta go-pole the pirogue down the bayou

D

His Yvonne the sweetest one, me oh my oh

G

Son of a gun, we'll have big fun on the bayou

[Verse 2]

G

D

Thibodaux, Fontaineaux, the place is buzzin'

G

A kinfolk come to see Yvonne by the dozen

D

Dressed in style they go hog wild, me oh my oh

G

N.C.

Son of a gun, we'll have big fun on the bayou

[Chorus]

G

D

Jambalaya, crawfish pie and fillet gumbo

G

For tonight, I'm-a gonna see my ma cher a mi-o

D

Pick guitar, fill fruit jar and be gay-o

G

N.C.

Son of a gun, we'll have big fun on the bayou

[Flute Solo]

G D G D G N.C.

[Verse 3]

G

D

Settle down far from town, get him a pirogue

G

And he'll catch all the fish in the bayou

D

Swap his mon to buy Yvonne what she need-o

G

N.C.

Son of a gun, we'll have big fun on the bayou

[Chorus]

G

D

Jambalaya, crawfish pie and fillet gumbo

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For tonight, I'm-a gonna see my ma cher a mi-o

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Pick guitar, fill fruit jar and be gay-o

G

N.C.

Son of a gun, we'll have big fun on the bayou

[Guitar-Solo]

G D G D G N.C.

[Chorus]

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For tonight, I'm-a gonna see my ma cher a mi-o

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N.C.

Son of a gun, we'll have big fun on the bayou

[Chorus]

N.C.

Jambalaya, crawfish pie and fillet gumbo

N.C.

For tonight, I'm-a gonna see my ma cher a mi-o

N.C.

Pick guitar, fill fruit jar and be gay-o

N.C.

G

Son of a gun, we'll have big fun on the bayou

[Out-Chorus]

G

D

Jambalaya, crawfish pie and fillet gumbo

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D

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G

N.C.

G

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