

Bored Of The Dance

(Written by Dick Nudds and Chris Sugden. Recorded by the Kipper Family 1988.)

As (G) I walked down to the village hall
(D) I met Charlie leanin' on the wall
(G) "Why are you standin' out here, Char-lee?"
"Cause (D) I am bored of the (G) dance!" (C) said (G) he!

(G) Dance! Dance! Whatever do they see?
In prancin' round all the (D) time, said he
I'll (G) leave them all to do it without me
For (D) I am bored of the (C) dance, said (G) he!

I (G) come to the dance with my girl, he said
I (D) told her that I'd rather go to bed,
Oh (G) yes I'm sure you would, said she,
But (D) first you'll come and (G) dance (C) with (G) me!

(chorus)

She (G) said, You'll come and dance right now!
But (D) I weren't list'nin' when the caller told us how
(G) They "cast left," but "right" I went
(D) They danced on, but I (G) ended (C) in the (G) "Gents!"

(chorus)

I (G) drank with the Morris-men, James and John,
They (D) drank with me as the dance went on and on,
We (G) drank and we drank till it all went black.
It's (D) hard to dance when you're (G) lyin' (C) on your (G) back!

(chorus)

Oh, (G) how she danced on the night they were wed
She (D) danced, he drank, and then they went to bed
I'm a(G)fraid there's no more story to be told
(D) She was too hot, and he (G) was (C) out (G) cold!

(chorus)

