

Lookin' Out My Back Door

(Written by John Fogerty. Recorded by Creedence Clearwater Revival 1970. Inspired by the Dr. Seuss book *And to Think That I Saw It on Mulberry Street.*)

(Z)(C)(Am)(F)(C)(G)(C)

(C) Just got home from Illinois, **(Am)** lock the front door, oh boy!

(F) Got to sit **(C)** down, take a **(G)** rest on the porch.

(C) Imagination sets in, **(Am)** pretty soon I'm singin',

(F) Doo, doo, **(C)** doo, lookin' **(G)** out my back **(C)** door.

There's a **(C)** giant doing cartwheels, a **(Am)** statue wearin' high heels.

(F) Look at all the **(C)** happy creatures **(G)** dancing on the lawn.

A **(C)** dinosaur Victrola **(Am)** list'ning to Buck Owens.

(F) Doo, doo, **(C)** doo, lookin' **(G)** out my back **(C)** door.

(G) Tambourines and elephants are **(F)** playing in the **(C)** band.

Won't you **(C)** take a ride **(Am)** on the flyin' **(G)** spoon? Doo, doo doo.

(C) Wond'rous apparition **(Am)** provided by magician.

(F) Doo, doo, **(C)** doo, lookin' **(G)** out my back **(C)** door.

(C)(Am)(F)(C)(G)(C)(Am)(F)(C)(G)(C)

(G) Tambourines and elephants are **(F)** playing in the **(C)** band.

Won't you **(C)** take a ride **(Am)** on the flyin' **(G)** spoon? Doo, doo doo.

(C) Bother me tomorrow, to **(Am)** day, I'll buy no sorrows.

(F) Doo, doo, **(C)** doo, lookin' **(G)** out my back **(C)** door.

(Z)(C̄)(B̄)(B̄b)(A)(G)(D)(Bm)(A)

(D) Forward troubles Illinois, **(Bm)** lock the front door, oh boy!

(G) Look at all the **(D)** happy creatures **(A)** dancing on the lawn.

(slow) **(D)** Bother me tomorrow, to **(Bm)** day, I'll buy no sorrows.

(G) Doo, doo, **(D)** doo, lookin' **(A)** out my back **(D)** door. **(D!)**

(resume tempo)

(Z)(G)(D)(A)(D)(D!)

