

The Ballad Of John And Yoko

(Written by John Lennon and Paul McCartney, recorded by the Beatles, 1969.)

(G) Standing in the dock at Southampton trying to get to Holland or France
The **(G7)** man in the mac said you've got to go back
You know they didn't even give us a chance

Christ you know it ain't **(C)** easy
You know how hard it can **(G)** be
The way things are **(D7)** going
They're going to crucify **(G)** me

(G) Finally made the plane into Paris, Honeymooning down by the Seine
Peter **(G7)** Brown call to say you can make it O.K.
You can get married in Gibraltar near Spain

(chorus)

Drove from **(G)** Paris to the Amsterdam Hilton, talking in our beds for a week
The **(G7)** newspapers said say what're you doing in bed
I said we're only trying to get us some peace

(chorus)

(C) Saving up your money for a rainy day
giving all your clothes to charity
Last night the wife said
Oh boy when you're dead
you **(D)** don't take nothing with you but your soul, think

(G) Made a lightning trip to Vienna, eating chocolate cake in a bag
The **(G7)** newspapers said she's gone to his head
They look just like two gurus in drag

(chorus)

(G) Caught the early plane back to London. Fifty acorns tied in a sack
The **(G7)** men from the press said we wish you success
It's good to have the both of you back.

(chorus)

The way things are **(D7)** going
They're going to crucify **(G)** me

