

Jailhouse Rock, performed by Elvis Presley	
C# D	
1. The warden threw a party in the county jail,	
C# D	
prison band was there and they began to wail.	
C# D	
Band was jumpin' and the joint began to swing,	
C# D	
should've heard those kocked out jail birds sing.	
G D	
Lets Rock ! Everybody lets Rock !	
A G	
Everybody in the whole cell block,	
D G D	
was a-dancin' to the Jail-house Rock!	
C# D	
2. Spider Murphy played the tenor saxophone,	
C# D	
Little Joe was blowin' on the slide trombone.	
C# D	
The drummer boy for Illinois went crash, boom, bang !	
C# D	
The whole rhythm section was the Purple Gang. + REFRAIN	
C# D	
3. Number forty seven said to Number Three:	
C# D	
You're the cutest jailbird I ever did see.	
C# D	
I sure would be delighted with your company,	
C# D	
come on and do the jailhouse rock with me. + REFRAIN	
C# D	
4. The sad sack was a-sittin' on a block of stone,	
C# D	
way over in the corner weeping all alone.	
C# D	
The warden said: " Hey, buddy, don't you be no square.	
C# D	
If you can't find a partner use a wooden chair !" + REFRAIN	
C# D	
5. Shifty Henry said to Bugs: "For Heaven's sakes,	
C# D	
no one's lookin', now's our chance to make a break!"	
C# D	
Bugsy turned to Shifty and he said, " Nix, nix,	
C# D	
I wanna stick around a while and get my kicks." + REFRAIN	
C# D G D	
+ dancin' to the Jail-house Rock....(rep. and fade)	