

May The Bird Of Paradise Fly Up Your Nose Little Jimmy Dickens

G D7 G G
G D7 G
One fine day as I was walking down the street
G D7
Spied a beggar man with rags upon his feet
G G7/ C/ Cm/
Took a penny from my pocket, in his tin cup I did drop it
G D7 G
I heard him say as I made my retreat

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G D7 G
May the bird of paradise fly up your nose
G D7
May an elephant caress you with his toes
G G7 C
May your wife be plagued with runners in her hose
G D7 G G G D7 G G
May the bird of paradise fly up your nose

G D7 G
The laundry man is really on his toes
G D7
Found a hundred dollar bill among my clothes
G G7/ C Cm
When he called me I came running, gave him back his dime for phoning
G D7 G
I heard him saying as I turned to go

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G D7 G
I was way behind one day to catch a train
G D7
The taxi driver said "We'll make it!" just the same
G G7/ C/ Cm/
The speed cop made it with us, and as he wrote out the ticket
G D7 G
I stood by politely waiting for my change

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G G7 C
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