

FOLSOME PRISON - Johnny Cash

1st singing note is 'C'

C

I hear that train a rolling, a rolling around the bend

C7

And I ain't seen the sunshine since I don't know when

F

And I'm stuck in Folsome prison and time keeps dragging on

G7

But that train keeps a rolling down to San An-tone.

C

When I was a young man my mother told me son

C7

She said always be a good boy don't you ever play with guns

F

But I shot a man in Reno, just to watch him die

G7

When I hear that whistle blowing, I hold my head and cry.

C

I bet there's rich folks eating in fancy dinning cars

C7

I know they're drinking whiskey and they're smoking big cigars

F

But I know I had it coming, I know I can't be free

G7

But those people keep a moving and that's what's bothering me.

C

Well if they freed me from this prison if the railroad train was mine,

C7

I know I'd have to move a little further down the line,

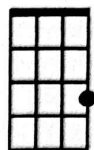
F

Far away from Folsome prison, that's where I want to stay,

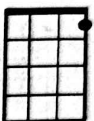
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And I'd let that lonesome whistle blow my blues a-way.

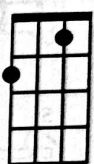
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