

Jailhouse rock

(Elvis Presley)

INTRO

D#/E(8)

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The warden threw a party in the county jail

D#/E(8)

The prison band was there and they began to wail

D#/E(8)

The band was jumpin' and the joint began to swing

D#/E(8)

You should've heard those knocked out jailbirds sing

D#/E(8)

Let's rock

Everybody, let's rock

A7(4)

A7(4)

E(4)

E(4)

Everybody in the whole cell block was dancin' to the Jailhouse Rock

B7(4)

A7(4)

E(4)

E(4)

Spider Murphy played the tenor saxophone

D#/E(8)

Little Joe was blowin' on the slide trombone

D#/E(8)

The drummer boy from Illinois went crash, boom, bang

D#/E(8)

The whole rhythm section was a purple gang

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A7(4)

E(4)

E(4)

Number 47 said to number three

D#/E(8)

"You're the cutest jailbird I ever did see

D#/E(8)

I sure would be delighted with your company

D#/E(8)

Come on and do the Jailhouse Rock with me"

D#/E(8)

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B7(4)	A7(4)	E(4)	E(4)

Solo

A7(4)	A7(4)	E(4)	E(4)
B7(4)	A7(4)	E(4)	E(4)

Sad Sack was sittin' on a block of stone
D#/E(8)
Way over in the corner weepin' all alone
D#/E(8)
The warden said, "Hey, buddy, don't you be no square
D#/E(8)
If you can't find a partner, use a wooden chair"
D#/E(8)

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Shifty Henry said to Bugs, "For Heaven's sake
D#/E(8)
No one's lookin', now's the chance to make a break"
D#/E(8)
Bugsy turned to Shifty and he said, "Nix nix
D#/E(8)
I wanna stick around a while and get my kicks"
D#/E(8)

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Dancin' to the Jailhouse Rock-
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