

Street Corner Preacher

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No capo

*= One strum

Verse:

D
Cadd9
 He got a new mercy, a new grace, Street corner preacher with the angry
Em7
G*
 face, He got two years off, for good behavior , Back in the neighborhood
 working for the savior,

D
Cadd9
 That s two old ladies and a junkie now, now He can see for sure that his
Em7
 work is cut out, Though he walks through the shadows he won t fear his
G*
 neighbor, Back in the neighborhood working for the savior,

Chorus:

D
Cadd9
Em7
 Bau bau, buh do de da, De da de, bau bau, buh do de da,de da de, Bau
G
 Bau, , buh do de dah, de da de, bau bau, ya ya

Verse:

D
Cadd9
 Well, he understands the need for living it large, But it s hard to get a job
Em7
 with a felony charge, Now he s working in a hospital washing dishes,
G*
 Walking through the fields of the lost inhibitions,

D
Cadd9
 There is death every breath , a new benediction, to save the liver from
Em7
 awaking, death is his conviction, The eyes of man, well he seeks no
G*
D

favor, back in the neighborhood working for the savior

Bridge:

Cadd9
G
D
Cadd9
G
 But there s a whole lotta trouble all around, Every night the same old siren
D
Cadd9
G
D
Cadd9
G

D
 Sound, There s a whole lotta trouble all around, Children soldiers in this
 battle ground

Chorus

Verse:

D
Cadd9

Well, a new sun and a second chance, He unbolts the door and hops over

Em7

G*

the fence, Young woman with a baby that her daddy gave her, back in the

neighborhood working for the savior,

D

Cadd9

But all around the war rages on, burnt out houses with the front door gone,

Em7

G*

Well his faith is his fountain, his love is his labor, Back in the neighborhood

D

working for the savior,

Cadd9 Em7 G

Whoa, yeah, ahh

Chorus

Ending:

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