

Three Minutes At A Time
Gene Watson

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C **C7** **F**
With a pocket full of quarters and time on my hands
C **G7**
That old jukebox keeps calling my name
C **C7** **F**
One day it might break me but I ll pay the price
C **G7** **C**
For an evening with your memory again

[Chorus]

G7 **F** **C**
Three minutes at a time I get lost in each song
G7 **F** **G7**
It s heartache in rhyme but it helps me hang on
C **C7** **F** **Fm**
I drop a quarter in the jukebox and for a while you re still mine
C **G7** **C**
I m getting by three minutes at a time

C7 **F**
Old Joe in the corner sits there every night
C **G7**
He s heard my story he knows every line
C **C7** **F**
My misery s in good company as long as I m here
C **G7** **C**
In this barroom the past comes alive

[Chorus]

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C

G7

F C

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