

**Car Wash Blues**  
**Jim Croce**

Car Wash Blues:Jim Croce.

#1.

**G**

Well, I just got out from the county prison,  
**D7**  
doin ninety days for non-support.

Tried to find me an executive position,

**G**

But no matter how smooth I talked

they wouldn t listen to the fact that I was a genius,

**C**

**A7**

The man say, We got all that we can use...

CHORUS:

**A7**

**G**

**B7**

**Em**

**G7**

Now I got them steadily depressin , low down mind messin ,

**C**

**D7**

**G**

workin at the car wash blues.

#2.

**G**

**D7**

Well, I should be sittin in an air conditioned office

in a swivel chair.

Talkin some trash to the secretaries,

**G**

Sayin , Here, now mama, come on over here.

Instead, I m stuck here rubbin these fenders with a rag

**C**

**A7**

and walkin home in soggy old shoes...

CHORUS:

**A7**

**G**

**B7**

**Em**

**G7**

Now I got them steadily depressin , low down mind messin

**C**

**D7**

**G**

workin at the car wash blues.

#3.

**G**

**C**

You know a man of my ability,

**G**

he should be smokin on a big cigar.

**C**

But till I get myself straight I guess I ll just have to wait

**A7**

**D7**

in my rubber suit rubbin these cars.  
#4.

**G**

Well, all I can do is a shake my head,

**D7**

you might not believe that it s true.

For workin at this end of Niagara Falls

**G**

is an undiscovered Howard Hughes.

So baby, don t expect to see me,

**C**

**A7**

with no double martini in any high-brow society news.

CHORUS:(x2)

**A7**

**G**

**B7**

**Em**

**G7**

Cause I got them steadily depressin , low down mind messin ,

**C**

**D7**

**G**

workin at the car wash blues.

A seventies smash from Kraziekhat.