

The Accident
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G
Last night I saw an accident
 C **G**
on the corner of Third and Green
G
two cars collided and I got excited
 A7 **D**
just being part of that scene

G
It was Mrs. Tom Walker and her beautiful daughter
 C
Pamela, was driving the car
 G
they got hit by a man in a lite blue sedan
 D **G**
who had obviously been to a bar.

Chorus:
C **G**
They don t know how lucky they are
C **D**
they could have run into that tree
 G **C**
got struck by a bolt of lightning
 G **D** **G**
and raped by a minority.

G
It was a four way stop dilemma

C **G**
we all arrived the same time
G
I yielded to the man to the right of me
A7 **D**
and he yielded it right back to mine
G
well the yield went around and around and around
C
till Pamela finally tried
G
just then the man in the light blue sedan
D **G**
hit Pamela s passenger side.

(Repeat Chorus)

G
Pamela hit her head on the mirror
C **G**
Mrs Walker got a bump on the knee
G
the man hit himself in the face and said
A7 **D**
Why does this happen to me?
G
the neighbors came out
G
and they gathered about
G **C**
saying Hey! who hit who anyway?
G
and the police arrived at a quarter to five
D **G**
and pronounced all the victims Okay

(Repeat Chorus)