

Folsom Prison Blues

Johnny Cash

Intro: C Bb F

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E |-----|
B |-----|
G |-----|
D |-----2--2--2-----|
A |3-3-3-----3-----|
E |-----3b-1-----|

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F  
I hear the train a comin ; it s rollin round the bend

And I ain t seen the sunshine since I don t know when.

Bb F  
I m stuck at Folsom Prison and time keeps draggin on.  
C7 F

But that train keeps a rollin on down to San Antone.

F  
When I was just a baby my mama told me Son

Always be a good boy; don t ever play with guns.

Bb F  
But I shot a man in Reno just to watch him die.  
C7 F

When I hear that whistle blowin I hang my head and cry.

Solo: F

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E |-----8-11p8-11-8-----8-11p8-11-|
B |9/10-----9/10-----|
G |-----| (2x)
D |-----|
A |-----|
E |-----|

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E |8-----|
B |--10-----|
G |-----10--|
D |-----|
A |-----|
E |-----|

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( Bb7 F C F )

F  
I bet there s rich folk eatin in a fancy dining car.

They re prob ly drinkin coffee and smokin big cigars

Bb F  
But I know I had it comin I know I can t be free  
C7 F  
But those people keep a movin and that s what tortures me.

Solo: F Bb F C7 F

F  
Well if they freed me from this prison if that railroad train was mine

I bet I d move on a little farther down the line  
Bb F  
Far from Folsom Prison that s where I want to stay  
C7 F  
And I d let that lonesome whistle blow my blues away