

If I Were A Carpenter
Johnny Cash

If I Were A Carpenter - Johnny Cash & June Carter

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Tuning: standard (eBGDAE)

[Intro]

A

[Verse]

G D A
(Johnny) If I were a carpenter, and you were a lady,
G D A
would you marry me anyway, would you have my baby?

G D A
(June) If you were a carpenter, and I were a lady,
G D A
I d marry you anyway, I would have your baby.

G D A
(Johnny) If a tinker was my trade, would I still find you?
G D A
(June) I d be carrying the pots you made, following behind you.

[Chorus]

G A D A
(both) Save your love through loneliness, save your love through sorrow.
G D A
(Johhny) I gave you my oneliness, (both) give me your tomorrow

[Instrumental]

G D A (x4)

[Verse]

G D A
(Johnny) If I were a miller, and a mill wheel grinding
G D A
Would you miss your coloured blouse, and your soft shoe shining?
G D A
(June) If you were a miller, and a mill wheel grinding

G **D** **A**
I d not miss my coloured blouse, and my soft shoe shining.

[Chorus]

G **A** **D** **A**
(both) Save your love through loneliness, save your love through sorrow.

G **D** **A**
(Johhny) I gave you my oneliness, give me your tomorrow

[Verse]

G **D** **A**
(Johnny) If I worked my hands in wood, would you still love me?

G **D** **A**
(June) I d answer you yes I would . (Johnny) And would you not be above me?

G **D** **A**
(Johnny) If I were a carpenter, and you were a lady,

G **D** **A**
(June) I d marry you anyway, I would have your baby.

[Chorus]

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