

**Midnight Special**  
**Johnny Rivers**

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**G**

**G** **C** **G**  
You get up in the morning . You hear the ding dong ring

**D7** **C** **G**  
And you look up on the table. You see the same darn thing.

**C** **G**  
You find no food upon the table. No pork up in the pan.

**D7** **C** **G**  
But if you say a thing about it. You ll be in trouble with the man.

**G** **C** **G**  
Ah let the midnight special. Shine a light on me.

**D7** **C** **G**  
Oh let the midnight special. Shine its ever lovin light on me.

**C** **G**  
Now if you re ever in Houston. Boy you better walk right.

**D7** **C** **G**  
Ah, you better not gamble boy. I say you better not fight.

**C** **G**  
Well now the sheriff he will grab you. And the boys will pull you down

**D7** **C** **G**  
And then before you know it. You re penitentiary bound.

**G** **C** **G**  
Let the midnight special. Shine a light on me. Ooohhhh!

**D7** **C** **G**  
Oh let the midnight special. Shine its ever lovin light on me.

**G C G D7 C G**

**C** **G**  
Here comes Miss Lucie. How in the world did you know?

**D7** **C** **G**  
I could tell by her apron. And by the clothes she wore.

**C** **G**  
An umbrella on her shoulder. She s got a paper in her hand.

**D7** **C** **G**  
She s gonna see the warden. To try to free her man.

**G** **C** **G**

So let the midnight special. Shine a light on me.

**D7**

**C**

**G**

Oh let the midnight special. Shine its ever lovin light on me.

**G**

**C**

**G**

I said let the midnight special. Shine a light on me. Ooohhhh!

**D7**

**C**

**G**

Oh let the midnight special. Shine its ever lovin light on me.