

San Quentin
Matanza

(intro)

D |-----
A |---2---2-2-4---2-4-4h6-----
E |-2-----

D |-----
A |---2---2-2-4---6-4-2-----
E |-2-----

A E A
San Quentin, you ve been livin hell to me

D A
You ve hosted me since nineteen sixty three

E A
I ve seen em come and go and I ve seen them die

A E A
And long ago I stopped askin why

A E A
San Quentin, I hate evry inch of you.

D A
You ve cut me and have scarred me thru an thru.

E A
And I ll walk out a wiser weaker man;

A E A
Mister Congressman why can t you understand.

(solo)

D |-----
A |---2---2-2-4---2-4-4h6-----
E |-2-----

D |-----4-----4-----
A |---2---2-2-4---6-4-2-----2-----
E |-2-----

D |-----
A |-2-4-6-6h7--7h11-11-11-9-7-6-----
E |-----

D |-----4-----4-----
A |---2---2-2-4---6-4-2-----2-----
E |-2-----

A E A
San Quentin, what good do you think you do?

D

A

Do you think I ll be different when you re through?

E

A

You bent my heart and mind and you may my soul,

A

E

A

And your stone walls turn my blood a little cold.

A

E

A

San Quentin, may you rot and burn in hell.

D

A

May your walls fall and may I live to tell.

E

A

May all the world forget you ever stood.

A

E

A

And may all the world regret you did no good.

A

E

A

San Quentin, you ve been livin hell to me.