

Folsom Prison Blues – Johnny Cash

[Intro & Outro]

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e |-----|
B |-----|
G |-----|
D |-----1-1-----|
A |2-2-2-----2-----|
E |-----2b3-0-----|
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[Verse 1]

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E*      *      *      *      *      *      *      *
I hear the train a-coming, it's rolling round the bend
      *      *      *      *      E7*      *      *      *
and I ain't seen the sunshine since I don't know when
      A*      *      *      **      *      *      *      E* * *
I'm stuck at Folsom Prison, and time keeps draggin' on
      *      B7*      *      *      **      *      *      *      E
But that train keeps a-rollin' on down to San Antone
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[Verse 2]

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E
When I was just a baby, my Mama told me 'Son,
                        E7
always be a good boy; don't ever play with guns.'
      A                        E
But I shot a man in Reno, just to watch him die
      B7                        E
when I hear that whistle blowin' I hang my head and cry
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[Solo]

E | E7 | E | E7 |
A | A | E | E |
B7 | B7 | E |

[Verse 3]

E
I bet there's rich folks eatin' in a fancy dining car

E7

They're probably drinking coffee and smoking big cigars

A

E

But I know I had it coming, I know I can't be free

B7

E

But those people keep a moving, and that's what tortures me

[Solo]

E | E7 | E | E7 |
A | A | E | E |
B7 | B7 | E |

[Verse 4]

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

E7

I bet I'd move it on a little farther down the line

A

E

Far from Folsom Prison, that's where I want to stay

B7

E

And I'd let that lonesome whistle blow my blues away