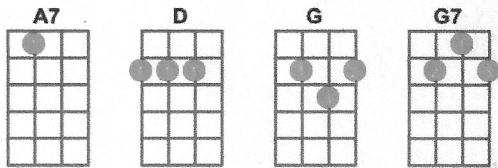


# Jailhouse Rock 1957

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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MfrC8PAQtIlg> Capo 1

[D]

[D] The warden threw a party in the county jail,  
[D] Prison band was there and they began to wail,  
[D] Band was jumpin' and the joint began to swing,  
[D] Should've heard thosed knocked out jail birds sing,

Lets [G] rock, everybody, [D] lets rock,  
Every-[A7]body in the whole cell [G7] block,  
[D] Were dancing to the jailhouse rock.

[D] Spider Murphy played the tenor saxophone,  
[D] Little Joe was blowin' on the slide trombone,  
[D] The drummer boy from Illinois went crash, boom, bang,  
[D] The whole rhythm section was the purple gang,

Lets [G] rock, everybody, [D] lets rock,  
Every-[A7]body in the whole cell [G7] block,  
[D] Were dancing to the jailhouse rock.

[D] Number forty-seven said to number three,  
[D] You're the cutest jailbird I ever did see,  
[D] I sure would be delighted with your company,  
[D] Come on and do the jailhouse rock with me,

Lets [G] rock, everybody, [D] lets rock,  
Every-[A7]body in the whole cell [G7] block,  
[D] Were dancing to the jailhouse rock.

[D] The sad sack was a sittin on a block of stone,  
[D] Way over in the corner weepin all alone,  
[D] The warden said, hey, buddy, don't you be no square,  
[D] If you can't find a partner use a wooden chair,

Lets [G] rock, everybody, [D] lets rock,  
Every-[A7]body in the whole cell [G7] block,  
[D] Were dancing to the jailhouse rock.

[D] Shifty Henry said to bugs, for heavens sake,  
[D] No ones lookin, now's our chance to make a break,  
[D] Buggy turned to shifty and he said, nix nix,  
[D] I wanna stick around a while and get my kicks,

Lets [G] rock, everybody, [D] lets rock,  
Every-[A7]body in the whole cell [G7] block,  
[D] Were dancing to the jailhouse rock.  
[D] Dancing to the jailhouse rock. *Fade*