

Garden Party (Rick Nelson, 1972) (C)

[Garden Party](#) by Rick Nelson (1972) (D @ 144) – [Garden Party](#) by Rick Nelson (Official Video)

Intro C F | C F | C F | C F |

F6
GCEA - 2213
DGBE - 0211

C F C F
I went to a garden party, to remi-nisce with my old friends,
C G Am F6 C
A chance to share old memories ___ and play our songs a-gain.
C F C F
When I got to the garden party, they all knew my name,
C F Dm7 C
But no one recog-nized me, ___ I didn't look the same.

Chorus

F G C F G C
But it's all right now, I learned my lesson well.
F C F C
You see, ya _ can't please everyone, so ya _ got to please your-self.

C F C F
People came from miles a-round, everyone was there.
C G Am F6 C
Yoko brought her walrus, there was ___ magic in the air.
C F C F
And over in the corner, much to my sur-prise,
C F Dm7 C
Mr. Hughes hid in Dylan's shoes, ___ wearing his dis-guise. **Chorus**

C F C F
I played them all the old songs, I thought that's why they came;
C G Am F6 C
No one heard the music, ___ we didn't look the same.
C F C F
I said hello to "Mary Lou", she belongs to me.
C F Dm7 C
When I sang a song about a honky-tonk, ___ it was time to leave. **Chorus**

C F C F
Someone opened up a closet door, and out stepped Johnny B. Goode;
C G Am F6 C
Playing guitar like ringin' a bell, ___ and lookin' like he should.
C F C F
If you gotta play at garden parties, I wish you a lot of luck,
C F Dm7 C
But if memories were all I sang, ___ I'd rather drive a truck. **Chorus**

Garden Party (Rick Nelson, 1972) (D)

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Intro D G | D G | D G | D G |

G6
GCEA - 0202
DGBE - 0000

D G D G
I went to a garden party, to remi-nisce with my old friends,
D A Bm G6 D
A chance to share old memories ___ and play our songs a-gain.
D G D G
When I got to the garden party, they all knew my name,
D G Em7 D
But no one recog-nized me, ___ I didn't look the same.

Chorus

G A D G A D
But it's all right now, I learned my lesson well.
G D G D
You see, ya _ can't please everyone, so ya _ got to please your-self.

D G D G
People came from miles a-round, everyone was there.
D A Bm G6 D
Yoko brought her walrus, there was ___ magic in the air.
D G D G
And over in the corner, much to my sur-prise,
D G Em7 D
Mr. Hughes hid in Dylan's shoes, ___ wearing his dis-guise. **Chorus**

D G D G
I played them all the old songs, I thought that's why they came;
D A Bm G6 D
No one heard the music, ___ we didn't look the same.
D G D G
I said hello to "Mary Lou", she belongs to me.
D G Em7 D
When I sang a song about a honky-tonk, ___ it was time to leave. **Chorus**

D G D G
Someone opened up a closet door, and out stepped Johnny B. Goode;
D A Bm G6 D
Playing guitar like ringin' a bell, ___ and lookin' like he should.
D G D G
If you gotta play at garden parties, I wish you a lot of luck,
D G Em7 D
But if memories were all I sang, ___ I'd rather drive a truck. **Chorus**

Garden Party (Rick Nelson, 1972) (G)

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Intro G C | G C | G C | G C |

C6
GCEA - 0000
DGBE - 2216

G C G C
I went to a garden party, to remi-nisce with my old friends,
G D Em C6 G
A chance to share old memories ___ and play our songs a-gain.
G C G C
When I got to the garden party, they all knew my name,
G C Am7 G
But no one recog-nized me, ___ I didn't look the same.

Chorus

C D G C D G
But it's all right now, I learned my lesson well.
C G C G
You see, ya _ can't please everyone, so ya _ got to please your-self.

G C G C
People came from miles a-round, everyone was there.
G D Em C6 G
Yoko brought her walrus, there was ___ magic in the air.
G C G C
And over in the corner, much to my sur-prise,
G C Am7 G
Mr. Hughes hid in Dylan's shoes, ___ wearing his dis-guise. **Chorus**

G C G C
I played them all the old songs, I thought that's why they came;
G D Em C6 G
No one heard the music, ___ we didn't look the same.
G C G C
I said hello to "Mary Lou", she belongs to me.
G C Am7 G
When I sang a song about a honky-tonk, ___ it was time to leave. **Chorus**

G C G C
Someone opened up a closet door, and out stepped Johnny B. Goode;
G D Em C6 G
Playing guitar like ringin' a bell, ___ and lookin' like he should.
G C G C
If you gotta play at garden parties, I wish you a lot of luck,
G C Am7 G
But if memories were all I sang, ___ I'd rather drive a truck. **Chorus**