

Big Yellow Taxi (Joni Mitchell) (C)

Intro: C D G C G C G C G

C G
They paved Paradise and put up a parking lot
G C G / G C G
C D C
With a pink hotel, a boutique and a swinging hot spot

Chorus:

G
Don't it always seem to go
C G
That you don't know what you've got 'til it's gone?
C D G
They paved Paradise and put up a parking lot
G D
Shooooo – bop bop bop bop
Shooooo – bop bop bop bop

C G
They took all the trees and put 'em in a tree museum
G C G / G C G
C D
And they charged the people a dollar and a half
G
just to see 'em. **Chorus**

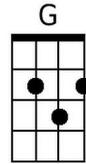
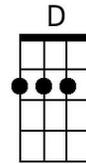
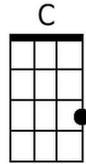
C D
Hey farmer farmer, put away that DDT now
G C G / G C G
C
Give me spots on my apples
D G
but leave me the birds and the bees – Please. **Chorus**

C G
Late last night I heard the screen door slam
G C G / G C G
C D G
And a big yellow taxi took away my old man **Chorus**

C G
Late last night I heard the screen door slam – again
C D
And a big yellow tractor pushed around my house,
G
pushed around my land.

G
Don't it always seem to go
C G
That you don't know what you've got 'til it's gone?
C D G
They paved Paradise and put up a parking lot
G D
Shooooo – bop bop bop bop -

G
I said, don't it always seem to go
C G
That you don't know what you've got 'til it's gone?
C D G
They paved Paradise and put up a parking lot
G D
Shooooo – bop bop bop bop
C D G
They paved Paradise and put up a parking lot
G D
Shooooo – bop bop bop bop
C D G G C G
They paved Paradise and put up a park-ing lot..



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