

I GOT STRIPES

On a (D) Monday, I was (A)arrested.

On a Tuesday, they locked me in the (D) jail.

On a Wednesday, my trial was (A) attested.

On a Thursday they said guilty and the judge's gavel (D)fell.

(CHORUS)

I got stripes, stripes around my (A) shoulders.

I got chains,chains around my (D) feet.

I got stripes, stripes around my (A) shoulders,

and them chains them chains are about to drag me (D) down.

On a (D) Monday, I got my stripy (A) britches,

On a Tuesday, got my ball and (D) chain.

On a Wednesday, I'm workin diggin' (A) ditches,

On a Thursday, Lord I'd begged them not to knock me down (D)again

(CHORUS)

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I got chains,chains around my (D) feet.

I got stripes, stripes around my (A) shoulders,

and them chains them chains are about to drag me (D) down.

On a (D) Monday, my mama come to (A) see me.

On a Tuesday, they caught me with a (D) file.

On a Wednesday, I'm down in soli (A) tary.

On a Thursday, Lord I start on bread and water for a (D) while.

(CHORUS) x 2

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