

Sunny Afternoon - The Kinks

Intro

Dm Dm/C Dm/B Dm/Bb A A/G
A/F A/E
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A/F A/E

Verse 1

Dm C
The taxman's taken all my dough
F C7
And left me in my stately home
A A/G A/F A/E Dm
Lazin' on a sunny afternoon
C
And I can't sail my yacht
F C7
He's taken everything I've got
A A/G A/F A/E Dm
All I've got's this sunny afternoon

Chorus

D D7 G G7
Save me, save me, save me from this squeeze
C7 F A7
I got a big fat mama tryin' to break me
Dm G
And I love to live so pleasantly
D7 G7 C
Live this life of luxury
F A Dm Dm/C Dm/B Dm/Bb
Lazin' on a sunny afternoon
A A/G A/F A/E
In a summertime
Dm Dm/C Dm/B Dm/Bb
In a summertime
A A/G A/F A/E
In a summertime

Verse 2

Dm C
My girlfriend's run off with my car
F C7
And gone back to her ma and pa
A A/G A/F A/E Dm
Tellin' tales of drunkenness and cruelty
C
Now I'm sittin' here
F C7
Sippin' at my ice-cooled beer

A A/G A/F A/E Dm
Lazin' on this sunny afternoon

Chorus

D D7 G G7
Help me, help me, help me sail away
C7 F A7
Or give me two good reasons why I oughta stay
Dm G
And I love to live so pleasantly
D7 G7 C
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Dm