

Jailhouse Rock

- Elvis Presley -

*Words and Music by
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Arranged by Dirk Kokx
Original Key Eb*

A Rock 'n Roll (♩ = c. 170), Swing

B

Low

The war-den threw a par-ty in the coun-ty jail__ The

G A♭ G A♭ G A♭ G

Piano Solo
Advanced

L

pri - son band was there and they be - gan to wail The band was jum - pin' and the joint be -

A♭ G A♭

P.S.A.

L

gan to swing__ You should - 've heard them knocked - out jail - birds sing Let's

G A♭

P.S.A.

Jailhouse Rock 3
Chorus-LIGHT Piano Solo Advanced

23

H

M

L

P.S.A.

A^b G A^b G

Lit - tle Joe was blo-win' on the slide trom - bone The drum-mer boy from Il - li - nois went crash, boom, bang The whole

E

27

H

M

L

P.S.A.

A^b D^b7 A^b

— rhy - thm sec - tion was the Pur - ple Gang Let's rock e - very - bo - dy, let's rock

rock rock rock rock rock

Jailhouse Rock 5
Chorus-LIGHT Piano Solo Advanced

H

56

H

P.S.A.

E^b7 D^b7 A^b G Num A^b ber for-ty-se-ven said to num-ber three

mf

63

H

P.S.A.

"You're the cu-test jail-bird I e-ver did see I sure would be de-light-ed with your com-pa-ny Come on

A^b7 A^b10

I

67

H

M

L

P.S.A.

___ and do the Jail-house Rock with me" Let's rock e-very-bo - dy, let's rock

rock rock rock rock rock

8

D^b7 A^b7

Jailhouse Rock 7
Chorus-LIGHT Piano Solo Advanced

K

82

H

oh! _____ Let's rock e-very-bo - dy, let's rock

M

rock rock rock rock rock

L

8

be no square If you can't find a part-ner, use a wood-en chair" Let's rock rock rock rock rock rock

P.S.A.

D^b7 A^b7

88

H

E - very - bo - dy in the whole cell block was dan - cin' to the Jail - house Rock

M

ah _____ dan - cin' to the Jail - house Rock

L

8

ah _____ dan - cin' to the Jail - house Rock

P.S.A.

E^b7 D^b7 A^b

Jailhouse Rock 9
Chorus-LIGHT Piano Solo Advanced

109

H
Bug - sy turned to Shif - ty and he said, "Nix, Nix I want to stick a - round a while and get my kicks" Let's

M
Bug - sy turned to Shif - ty and he said, "Nix, Nix I want to stick a - round a while and get my kicks" Let's

L
Bug - sy turned to Shif - ty and he said, "Nix, Nix I want to stick a - round a while and get my kicks" Let's

P.S.A.
A^b G A^b *f*

N

113

H
rock e - very - bo - dy, let's rock E - very - bo - dy in the whole cell

M
rock rock rock rock rock rock ah

L
rock rock rock rock rock rock ah

P.S.A.
D^b7 A^b7 E^b7

Jailhouse Rock 11
Chorus-LIGHT Piano Solo Advanced

128

H
Rock E - very - bo - dy in the whole cell block was dan - cin' to the Jail - house Rock E - very -

M
Rock rock ah _____ dan - cin' to the Jail - house Rock

L
Rock rock ah _____ dan - cin' to the Jail - house Rock

P.S.A.
E^b7 D^b7 A^b7

133

H
bo - dy in the whole cell block was dan - cin' to the Jail - house Rock

M
ah _____ dan - cin' to the Jail - house Rock

L
ah _____ dan - cin' to the Jail - house Rock

P.S.A.
E^b7 D^b7 A^b7 freak out

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Piano Solo Intermediate

mf

G A^b G A^b G

The

B

L

5

war - den threw a par - ty in the coun - ty jail — The pri - son band was there and they be - gan to wail The

A^b G A^b G

P.S.I.

L

9

band was jum - pin' and the joint be - gan to swing You should - 've heard them knocked - out jail - birds sing Let's

A^b G A^b

P.S.I.

Jailhouse Rock 3

Chorus-LIGHT Piano Solo Intermediate

23

H

M

L

P.S.I.

Lit - tle Joe was blo-win' on the slide trom - bone The drum-mer boy from Il - li - nois went crash, boom, bang The whole

A^b G A^b G

27

H

M

L

P.S.I.

— rhy-thm sec-tion was the Pur-ple Gang Let's rock e-very-bo - dy, let's rock

rock rock rock rock rock

A^b D^b7 A^b

Jailhouse Rock 5

Chorus-LIGHT Piano Solo Intermediate

H

60

H

Num - ber for-ty-se-ven said to num-ber three "You're the cu-test jail-bird I e-ver did see I sure would be delighted with your

M

L

P.S.I.

G A^b A^b7 A^b10

mf

I

66

H

com - pa - ny Come on _____ and do the Jail - house Rock with me" Let's rock

M

L

P.S.I.

rock rock

rock rock

D^b7

Jailhouse Rock 7
Chorus-LIGHT Piano Solo Intermediate

79

H

M

L

P.S.I.

o - ver in the cor - ner weep - in' all a - lone The war - den said, "Hey, bud - dy, don't you be no square If you

K

83

H

M

L

P.S.I.

oh! Let's rock e - very - bo - dy, let's rock

rock rock rock rock rock

can't find a part - ner, use a wood - en chair" Let's rock rock rock rock rock

$D^{\flat 7}$ $A^{\flat 7}$

Jailhouse Rock 9
Chorus-LIGHT Piano Solo Intermediate

M

105

H
Shif - ty Hen - ry said to Bugs, "For Hea - ven's sake No one is look - in', now's our chance to make a break"

M
Shif - ty Hen - ry said to Bugs, "For Hea - ven's sake No one is look - in', now's our chance to make a break"

L
Shif - ty Hen - ry said to Bugs, "For Hea - ven's sake No one is look - in', now's our chance to make a break"

P.S.I.
A^b G A^b G

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L
Bug - sy turned to Shif - ty and he said, "Nix, Nix I want to stick a - round a while and get my kicks" Let's

P.S.I.
A^b G A^b *f*

Jailhouse Rock 11
Chorus-LIGHT Piano Solo Intermediate

123

H
- cin' to the Jail - house Rock Dan - cin' to the Jail - house Rock Dan - cin' to the Jail - house

M
- cin' to the Jail - house Rock rock Dan - cin' to the Jail - house Rock rock Dan - cin' to the Jail - house

L
- cin' to the Jail - house Rock rock Dan - cin' to the Jail - house Rock rock Dan - cin' to the Jail - house

P.S.I.
A^b7 D^b7 A^b

128

H
Rock E - very - bo - dy in the whole cell block was dan - cin' to the Jail - house Rock E - very -

M
Rock rock ah _____ dan - cin' to the Jail - house Rock

L
Rock rock ah _____ dan - cin' to the Jail - house Rock

P.S.I.
E^b7 D^b7 A^b7

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gan to swing You should - 've heard them knocked - out jail - birds sing Let's

C



rock rock rock rock rock

ah



rock rock rock rock rock

ah



rock e-very-bo - dy, let's rock

E - very - bo - dy in the whole cell

Jailhouse Rock 3
Chorus-LIGHT

30

H e-very-bo - dy, let's rock E - very - bo-dy in the whole cell block was dan -

M rock rock rock ah _____ dan -

L rock rock rock ah _____ dan -

F

G

35

H - cin' to the Jail - house Rock Num-

M - cin' to the Jail - house Rock

L - cin' to the Jail - house Rock

12 11

12 11

12 11

H

61

H - ber for-ty-se-ven said to num-ber three "You're the cu-test jail - bird I e-ver did see I

M

L

Jailhouse Rock 5
Chorus-LIGHT

78

H

M

L

block of stone Way o - ver in the cor - ner weep - in' all a - lone The

81

H

M

L

war - den said, "Hey, bud - dy, don't you be no square If you can't find a part-ner, use a

K

84

H

M

L

oh! _____ Let's rock e - very - bo - dy, let's rock E - very -

rock rock rock rock rock

wood - en chair" Let's rock rock rock rock rock rock

Jailhouse Rock 7

Chorus-LIGHT

N

111

H want to stick a-round a while and get my kicks" Let's rock e-very-bo - dy, let's

M want to stick a-round a while and get my kicks" Let's rock rock rock

L want to stick a-round a while and get my kicks" Let's rock rock rock

115

H rock E - very - bo-dy in the whole cell block was dan - cin' to the Jail-house

M rock rock rock ah _____ dan - cin' to the Jail-house

L rock rock rock ah _____ dan - cin' to the Jail-house

O

120

H Rock Dan - cin' to the Jail-house Rock Dan - cin' to the Jail-house Rock Dan -

M Rock Dan - cin' to the Jail-house Rock rock Dan - cin' to the Jail-house Rock rock Dan -

L Rock Dan - cin' to the Jail-house Rock rock Dan - cin' to the Jail-house Rock rock Dan -

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A Intro

B

The warden threw a party in the county jail
The prison band was there and they began to wail
The band was jumpin' and the joint began to swing
You should've heard them knocked-out jailbirds sing

C

Let's rock everybody, let's rock
Everybody in the whole cell block
Was dancin' to the Jailhouse Rock

D

Spider Murphy played the tenor saxophone
Little Joe was blowin' on the slide trombone
The drummer boy from Illinois went crash, boom, bang
The whole rhythm section was the Purple Gang

E

Let's rock everybody, let's rock
Everybody in the whole cell block
Was dancin' to the Jailhouse Rock

F, G Instrumental

H

Number fortyseven said to number three
"You're the cutest jailbird I ever did see
I sure would be delighted with your company
Come on and do the Jailhouse Rock with me"

I

Let's rock everybody, let's rock
Everybody in the whole cell block
Was dancin' to the Jailhouse Rock

J

Sad Sack was sittin' on a block of stone
Way over in the corner weepin' all alone
The warden said, "Hey, buddy, don't you be no square
If you can't find a partner, use a wooden chair"

K

Let's rock everybody, let's rock
Everybody in the whole cell block
Was dancin' to the Jailhouse Rock

L Instrumental

M

Shifty Henry said to Bugs, "For Heaven's sake
No one's lookin', now's our chance to make a break"
Bugsy turned to Shifty and he said, "Nix, Nix
I want to stick around a while and get my kicks"

N

Let's rock everybody, let's rock
Everybody in the whole cell block
Was dancin' to the Jailhouse Rock

O

Dancin' to the Jailhouse Rock
Dancin' to the Jailhouse Rock
Dancin' to the Jailhouse Rock
Dancin' to the Jailhouse Rock
Everybody in the whole cell block
Was dancin' to the Jailhouse Rock
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Was dancin' to the Jailhouse Rock