## Mockingbird

by "Hush Little Baby" performed by Inez and Charlie Foxx, 1963; redone by Carly Simon and James



[G] Mock (Yeah)

-ing (Yeah)

Bird (Yeah)

Yeah (Yeah)

[D7] Mockin'bird, now

[G] Everybody have you heard

[D7] I'm gonna buy her a mockingbird

And if that mockingbird don't sing

[G] I'm gonna buy her a [G7] diamond ring

And [C] if that diamond ring won't shine

[G] She's gonna surely break this heart of mine

And that's [D] why I keep on [C] tellin' everybody

Say [D] yeah, yeah whoa, whoa, whoa, whoa, oh-oo-oh-oo

[G] Hear me now and understand

[D7] I'm gonna find her some peace of mind

And if that peace of mind won't stay

[G] I'm gonna find myself a [G7] better way

And [C] if that better way ain't so

[G] I'll ride with the tide and go with the flow

And that's [D] why I keep on [C] shoutin' in your ear

Say [D] yeah, yeah whoa, whoa, whoa, whoa, oh-oo-oh-oo

Kazoo interlude, 1st verse: (Repeat of 2nd verse):

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