

Maxwell's Silver Hammer

(The Beatles)

Intro [C] [E7] [Am] [C7] [F] [F] [C]/ [G7]// [C]

[C] Joan was quizzical[A7] studied pataphysical[Dm] science in the home
[G7] Late nights all alone with a test tube[C] oh oh oh[G7] oh
[C] Maxwell Edison[A7] majoring in medicine[Dm] calls her on the phone
[G7] Can I take you out to the pictures[C] Jo-o-o[G7]oan
But[D7] as she's getting ready to go
A[G7] knock comes on the door

[C] Bang Bang Maxwell's silver hammer came[D7] down upon her head
[G7] Bang bang Maxwell's silver hammer
Made[Dm] sure that[G7] she was[C] dead[G7] [C]

[C] [E7] [Am] [C7] [F] [F] [C]/ [G7]// [C]

[C] Back in school again[A7] Maxwell plays the fool[Dm] again teacher gets
annoyed
[G7] Wishing to avoid an unpleasant[C] sce-e-[G7] ene
[C] She tells Max to stay[A7] when the class has gone away[Dm] so he waits
behind
[G7] Writing fifty times I must not be[C] so-o-o-[G7] o
But[D7] when she turns her back on the boy
He[G7] creeps up from behind

[C] Bang Bang Maxwell's silver hammer came[D7] down upon her head
[G7] Bang Bang Maxwell's silver hammer
Made[Dm] sure she was[G7] dead Wo Wo Wo

(Kazoo- Bang Bang Maxwell's silver hammer came down upon her head)

[C]/// [C]/// [D7]/// [D7]/// [G7]/// [G7]/// [Dm]/ [G7]/ [C] [G7] [C]

[C] [E7] [Am] [C7] [F] [F] [C]/ [G7]/// [C]

[C] P.C. Thirty-one[A7] said we caught a dirty one[Dm] Maxwell stands alone
[G7] Painting testimonial pictures oh oh[C] oh oh[G7] oh
[C] Rose and Valerie[A7] screaming from the gallery[Dm] say he must go free
The[G7] judge does not agree and tells them[C] so-o-o-[G7]o
But[D7] as the words are leaving his lips
A[G7] noise comes from behind

[C] Bang Bang Maxwell's silver hammer came[D7] down upon his head
[G7] Bang Bang Maxwell's silver hammer
Made[Dm] sure he was[G7] dead Wo Wo Wo Wo

[C]/// [C]/// [D7]/// [D7]/// [G7]/// [G7]/// [Dm]/ [G7]/ [C] [G7] [C]

[C] Sil-[E7]ver[Am]ham-[C7]mer/[F][F]/ [C]/ [G7]// [C]