

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

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

**Dm C7**  
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  
**C7**  
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]

**Dm** **C7**  
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  
**C7**  
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**  
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

[Chorus]

