WAITIN' FOR THE EVENIN' MAIL

(Sittin' On The Inside Lookin' At The Outside)

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Piano

Voice

Pass-ing by the jail this morn-
Just as I passed by his way-

Heard a hard-luck brother moan,
I could hear this brother say,

"I'm in here,
"Looks like I am in this jug to stay,

Right where I don't be-long,
'Till a later day,

Never done no wrong."

I passed by his window,
trial is called for Tuesday,

I could hear him moan-ing his song:
On the twenty-seventh of May."

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Chorus

Sit-tin' on the in-side, Look-in' at the out-side, Wait-in' for the ev-'nin' mail,

Four walls and a ceil-in'; Law-dy what a feel-in'; Just-

a mean old low-down jail; Sep-a-rat-in' me from ev'ry-

thing but the ev-'nin' mail, I'm like a ship with-out a sail.
Wrote my one-time mamma, Down in Jacksonville
Said: "Sweet mamma, I'm in jail,

Honey, please don't fail me, Hurry up and mail me, bail!

That's just a year ago, And I'm still on the inside,

Lookin' at the outside, Waitin' for the ev'nin' mail."
Patter

Had a letter handed to me, yesterday, From a mamma that I met on Mobile Bay,

She said, "honey won't you please send me down some ball. They caught me foolin' with the ev'nin' mail."

Had another letter from a man named Stout, Sayin' he was gonna get me, when I get out, Said that he was gonna meet me right at the gate, But he don't know how long he has to wait.

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Beale Street mamma, why don't you come back home?

It's hard to say,

To leave your precious little girl,

Sometimes I was

A small, dear love,

But mean me your sweet Papa, don't ask me—how?

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