

If The Devil Danced (In Empty Pockets)

Kim Williams & Ken Spooner 1989 practice sheet at ukesterbrown.com

Verse 1:

C7 **G**
Diablo motors had a hell of a sale, downtown yesterday,
C7 **A7** **D7**
Word got around, no money down, take years and years to pay.
C7 **G**
When I got there the lot was bare, but the salesman said hold on.
C7 **G** **E7** **A7** **D7** **G**
For a little cash, I gotta two-tone Nash out behind the barn.

Chorus:

G **A7**
If the Devil danced in empty pockets, he'd have a ball in mine.
D7
With a nine foot grand, a ten piece band and a
Em7 **A7** **D7**
twelve girl chorus line.
G **A**
I'd raise some loot in a three piece suit, give 'em one dance for a dime,
C **G** **E7** **A** **D7** **G**
If the Devil Danced in empty pockets, he'd have a ball in mine.

Verse 2:

C7 **G**
Well he said friend it ain't the end let's see what I can do.
C7 **A7** **D7**
If you own a home, I've got a loan, tailor made for you.
C7 **G**
Then above the racket a voice in my jacket said, "I'll tote the note."
C7 **G** **E7** **A7** **D7** **G**
The devil made me do it, talked me in to it, and that was all she wrote.

Chorus:

Bridge

Em **B7** **Em**
They say debt is a bottomless pit where the devil likes to play.
A7 **D7**
I'd sell my soul to get out of this hole, but there'd be hell to pay.

To Chorus: