Forbidden Jimmy

John Prine

Forbidden Jimmy
Has got a mighty sore tooth
From biting too many dimes
In a telephone boothHe's got half of his boot lace
Tied to the dial
Well thank you operator
For getting Jimmy to smile"Call out the coast guard"
Screamed the police
Forbidden Jimmy
He's got three water skisHe put two on his wavelength
And gave one to his girl
She's a mighty fine person
It's a mighty fine worldI'm gonna make all your sorrows bright
Set your soul free
I'll see you tomorrow night
If I can still seeGinger Caputo
And Dorian Gray
Oughta stay out of pictures
If they got nothin' to sayStack 'em back on the rack Jack
Ya know, you're hurting my eye
Forbidden Jimmy
He's getting ready to flyGonna make all your sorrows bright
Set your soul free
I'll see you tomorrow night
If I can still seeI got caught cooking popcorn
And calling it hail
They wanna stick my head
Inside a water pailYa know, they're gonna be sorry
They're gonna pay for it too
Forbidden jimmy
He's coming straight at you

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