**Big Rock Candy Mountain**

Recorded by Burl Ives

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C

Oh the buzzing of the bees at the cigarette trees

F C

Near the soda water fountain

G7 C

Where the lemonade springs and the bluebird sings

G7 C

In the Big Rock Candy Mountain

On a summer day in the month of May

G7 C

A burly bum came hiking

Down a shady lane through the sugar cane

G7 C

He was looking for his liking

G7 C

As he strolled along he sang a song

G7 C

Of the land of milk and honey

Where a bum can stay for many a day

G7 C

And he won't need any money

Repeat #1

In the Big Rock Candy Mountain

G7 C

The cops have wooden legs

The bulldogs all have rubber teeth

G7 C

And the hens lay soft-boiled eggs

G7 C

The farmers trees are full of fruit

G7 C

And the barns are full of hay

I want to go where there ain't no snow

Where the sleet don't fall the winds don't blow

G7 C

In the Big Rock Candy Mountains

Repeat #1