

[Intro]

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

[Verse]

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

Dm 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

Dm 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]

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

Dm 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

Chords:

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

E|1-----1-----1-----|

B|3-----3-----3-----2-----2-----2-----2-----|

G|2-----2-----2-----2-----2-----2-----2-----|

D|0-----0-----0-----2-----2-----2-----2-----|

A|3-----2-----1-----0-----|

E|-----3-----1-----0-----|

(one could alternately keep on the Dm and add the bass notes
all the way down to E)

(from Face to Face, 1966, also on Greatest Hits)

(sent by Harlan at harlant@hawaii.edu)