

Maxwell's Silver Hammer

from the Beatles Abbey Road

Music by John Lennon - Paul McCartney

C A⁷ Dm

Joan was quiz - zi - cal, stu - died me - ta - phy - si - cal sci - ence in the home.
 Back in school a - gain Max - well plays the fool a - gain! Tea - cher gets an - noyed!
 B. C. Thir - ty One said, "We caught a dir - ty one." Max - well stands a - lone,

5 G⁷ C G⁷ C

Late nights all a - lone with a test = tube. Ohh - oh - oh - oh! Max - well E - di - son
 Wish - ing to a - void an un - plea - sant sce - e - e - ene. She tells Max to stay
 paint - ing tes - ti - mo - ni - al pic - tures, ohh - oh - oh - oh! Rose and Va - le - rie,

10 A⁷ Dm Dm

ma - jor - ing in me - di - cine calls her on the phone. "Can I take you out
 when the class has gone a - way so he waits be - hind writ - ing fif - ty times
 scream - ing from the gal - le - ry, say he must go free. The judge does not a - gree

14 G⁷ C G⁷ D⁷

to the pic - tures Joa - oa - oa - oan?" But as she's get - ting rea - dy to go A
 "I must not be so - o - o - oo!" But when she turns her back on the boy he
 and he tells them so - o - o - oo! But, as the words are leav - ing his lips, a

19 G⁷ C D⁷

knock comes on the door. Bang, bang, Max - well's sil - ver ham - mer came down u - pon her head!
 creeps up from be - hind! Bang, bang, Max - well's sil - ver ham - mer came down upon her he - ad!
 noise comes from be - hind! Bang, bang, Max - well's sil - ver ham - mer came down u - pon his head!

24 G⁷ G⁷ C

Bang, bang, Max - well's sil - ver ham - mer made sure that she was dead!
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29 C G⁷ C

Max - well's silver hammer!