

Down On The Corner

Words & Music:

John Fogarty (Creedence Clearwater Revival)

C G C
Early in the evening, just about supper time,
C G C
Over by the courthouse, they're startin' to unwind.
F C
Four kids on the corner, tryin' to bring you up.
C G C
Willy picks a tune out and he blows it on the harp.

CHORUS:

F C G C
Down on the corner, out in the street,
C F
Willy and the Po' Boys are playin'.
G C
Bring a nickel, stamp your feet!

Rooster hits the washboard, the people just gotta' smile.
New kid thumbs the gut bass and solos for a while.
Po' Boy twangs the rhythm out on his Kalamazoo.
Willie goes into a dance and doubles on Kazoo.

CHORUS:

You don't need a penny just to hang around.
But, if you got a nickel, won't you lay your money down?
Over on the corner, there's a happy noise.
People come from all around to watch the magic boys.

CHORUS:

Riff 1 under C G C line

Riff 2 under F C

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B	-----	-----	-----	-----
G	-----	-----	-----	-----
D	-----	-----	-----	-----
A	--3-----3--3--	-----2--3--3-----	--3-----3--3-----	-----2--5--5-----
E	-----5--3-----5	-3--3-----	-----5--3-----5-	-3--3-----

So, the verse runs: Riff 1 - Riff 1 - Riff 2 - Riff 1