Standard Chords

Intro - Am Am Am Am x2 (bass run)

Verse 1

The (Am) tax man's taken (G) all my dough,
And (C) left me in my (G) stately home
(E7) Lazing on a sunny after (Am) noon.
And I can't (G) sail my yacht, He's (C) taken every (G) thing I've got,
(E7) All I've got's this sunny after (Am) noon.

Chorus 1

(A) Save me, save me, save me from this (D7) squeeze
I've got a (G7) big fat momma trying to break (C) me (E7)
And I (Am) love to live so (D7) pleasantly
(Am) Live this life of (D7) luxury
(C) Lazing on a (E7) sunny after (Am) noon
In the summertime, in the summertime, in the summertime.

Verse 2

My (Am) girlfriend's gone off (G) with my car And (C) gone back to her (G) ma and pa (E7) Telling tales of drunkenness and (Am) cruelty. Now I'm (G) sitting here, (C) Sipping at my (G) ice cold beer (E7) Lazing on a sunny after (Am) noon.

Chorus 2

(A) Help me, help me sail (D7) away
Well give me (G7) two good reasons why I ought to (C) stay (E7)
Cause I (Am) love to live so (D7) pleasantly
(Am) Live this life of (D7) luxury, (C) Lazing on a (E7) sunny after (Am) noon
In the summertime, in the summertime.

Chorus 3

(A) Save me, save me, save me from this (D7) squeeze I've got a (G7) big fat momma trying to break (C) me (E7) And I (Am) love to live so (D7) pleasantly, (Am) Live this life of (D7) luxury (C) Lazing on a (E7) sunny after (Am) noon In the summertime, in the summertime, in the summertime (A).