Lazy Bones
by Johnny Mercer and Hoagy Carmichael (as per Leon Redbone)

Lazy tempo

**Intro:**

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C   F   C7   Em7   Dm   G7   C7 2nd
C   F   C   F   C   F   C   C7 . |
Lazy— bones— sleepin’ in the sun— How you ‘spect to get your— day’s work done—?
You’ll never get your day’s work done——— lyin’ in the noon-day sun———
C   F   C   F   C   F   C   C7 .
Lazy— bones— sleepin’ in the shade— How you gonna get your— corn— meal made—
| Em7 . . .   Dm . .   G7 . .   C . C7 |
You’ll never get your corn— meal made—— just lyin’ in the noon-day shade———
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**Bridge:**

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When ‘taters need sprayin’— I bet you keep prayin’— the bugs— fall off— the vine——
| C7 2nd | B7 | Bb7 | A7 | F | . . | G7 . . |
And when you go fishin’— I bet you keep wishin’— the fish don’t grab at your line———
C   F   C   F   C   F   C   C7 .
Lazy— bones— loamin’ thru the day—— How you ‘spect to make a dime that way——
You’ll never make a dime that way——— Never heard a word I say———
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**Instrumental:**

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C   F   C   F   C   F   C   C7 . |
Em7 . .   Dm . .   G7 . .   C . C7
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And when you go fishin’— I bet you keep wishin’— the fish don’t grab at your line———
C   F   C   F   C   C   F   C   C7 .
Lazy— bones— loomin’ thru the day—— How you ‘spect to make a dime that way——
| Em7 . . .   Dm . .   G7 . .   C . C7 |
You’ll never make a dime that way——— Never heard a word I say———
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