

## Home Grown Tomatoes - Guy Clark

[Verse 1]

G  
Well there ain't nothin' in the world that I like better  
C  
Than bacon and lettuce and homegrown tomatoes  
D7  
Up in the morning out in the garden  
G  
Get you a ripe one, do not get a hard 'un  
G  
Plant 'em in the springtime, eat 'em in the summer  
C  
All winter without 'em's a culinary bummer  
D7  
I forget all about the sweatin' an' diggin'  
G D7  
Every time I go out and pick me a big 'un

[Chorus]

G  
Homegrown tomatoes, homegrown tomatoes,  
C  
What'd life be without homegrown tomatoes?  
D7  
Only two things that money can't buy:  
G D7  
That's true love and homegrown tomatoes.

[Verse 2]

G  
You can go out to eat, that's for sure  
C  
But there's nothin' a home grown tomato won't cure  
D7  
Put 'em in a salad, put 'em in a stew  
G  
Make your own, your very own tomato juice  
G  
You can eat 'em with eggs, you can eat 'em with gravy  
C  
You can eat 'em with beans, pinto or navy  
D7  
Put 'em on the side, put 'em in the middle

G D7  
Put a home grown tomato on a hot cake griddle

[Chorus]

G  
Homegrown tomatoes, homegrown tomatoes,  
C

What'd life be without homegrown tomatoes?

D7

Only two things that money can't buy:

G D7

And that's true love and homegrown tomatoes.

[Verse 3]

G

Now, if I had to trade this life I lead

C

I'd be Johnny Tomatoseed

D7

'Cause I know what this country needs

G D

It's home grown tomatoes in every yard you see.

G

But when I die don't bury meC

In a box in a box in a cemeteryD7

Out in the garden would be much better

G D7

And I'da be a pushin' up the home grown tomatoes.

[Chorus]G

Homegrown tomatoes, homegrown tomatoes,C

What'd life be without homegrown tomatoes?

D7

There's only two things that money can't buy:

G D7

And that's true love and homegrown tomatoes.G

Homegrown tomatoes, homegrown tomatoes,C

What'd life be without homegrown tomatoes?

D7

There's only two things that money can't buy:

G D7

And that's true love and homegrown tomatoes, yeah