

# Whiskey In The Jar

key:G, artist:Dubliners writer:Traditional

[G] [G]

[G] As I was a goin' over the [Em] far famed Kerry mountains  
I [C] met with Captain Farrell and his [G] money he was [Em] counting  
I [G] first produced my pistol and I [Em] then produced my rapier  
Said [C] "Stand and deliver" for you [G] are my bold de-[Em]ceiver

With me [D] ring dum-a doo dum-a da  
[G] Whack for the daddy-o. [C] whack for the daddy-o  
There's [G] whiskey [D7] in the [G] jar.

I [G] counted out his money and it [Em] made a pretty penny  
I [C] put it in me pocket and I [G] brought it home to [Em] Jenny  
She [G] said and she swore that she [Em] never would deceive me  
But the [C] devil take the women for they [G] never can be [Em] easy

With me [D] ring dum-a doo dum-a da  
[G] Whack for the daddy-o. [C] whack for the daddy-o  
There's [G] whiskey [D7] in the [G] jar.

I [G] went into my chamber, all [Em] for to take a slumber  
I [C] dreamt of gold and jewels and for [G] sure it was no [Em] wonder  
But [G] Jenny drew me charges and she [Em] filled them up with water  
Then [C] sent for captain Farrell to be [G] ready for the [Em] slaughter.

With me [D] ring dum-a doo dum-a da  
[G] Whack for the daddy-o. [C] whack for the daddy-o  
There's [G] whiskey [D7] in the [G] jar.

It was [G] early in the morning, just be[Em]fore I rose to travel  
The [C] guards were all around me and [G] likewise Captain [Em] Farrell  
I [G] first produced me pistol for she [Em] stole away me rapier  
But I [C] couldn't shoot the water, so a [G] prisoner I was [Em] taken.

With me [D] ring dum-a doo dum-a da  
[G] Whack for the daddy-o. [C] whack for the daddy-o  
There's [G] whiskey [D7] in the [G] jar.

If [G] anyone can aid me, it's my [Em] brother in the army,  
If [C] I can find his station in [G] Cork or in Kill-[Em]arney.  
And [G] if he'll come and save me, we'll go [Em] roving near Kilkenny,  
and I [C] swear he'll treat me better than me [G] darling sportling [Em] Jenny.

With me [D] ring dum-a doo dum-a da  
[G] Whack for the daddy-o. [C] whack for the daddy-o  
There's [G] whiskey [D7] in the [G] jar.

Now **[G]** some men take delight in the **[Em]** drinking and the roving,  
But **[C]** others take delight in the **[G]** gambling and the **[Em]** smoking.  
But **[G]** I take delight in the **[Em]** juice of the barley,  
and **[C]** courting pretty Jenny in the **[G]** morning bright and **[Em]** early.

With me **[D]** ring dum-a doo dum-a da  
**[G]** Whack for the daddy-o. **[C]** whack for the daddy-o  
There's **[G]** whiskey **[D7]** in the **[G]** jar.

*Slowing On The Last Line*

With me **[D]** ring dum-a doo dum-a da  
**[G]** Whack for the daddy-o. **[C]** whack for the daddy-o  
There's **[G]** whiskey **[D7]** in the **[G]** jar.