

# I Got Stripes

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Johnny Cash

## Intro—Bb-C

On A Monday I Was Ar-rested (Uh Huh) On A Tuesday They Locked Me In The Jail (Oh Boy)  
On A Wednesday My Trial Was At-tested  
On A Thursday They Said Guilty And The Judge's Gavel Fell

## Chorus--

I Got Stripes --- Stripes Around My Shoulders I Got Chains --- Chains Around My Feet  
I Got Stripes --- Stripes Around My Shoulders  
And Them Chains --- Them Chains They're About To Drag Me Down  
On a Monday got my stripped britches on a Tuesday got my Ball and Chain  
On a Wednesday I'm a working digging Ditches  
On a Thursday Lord I beg them not to knock me down again

## Repeat Chorus— Mod—To D

On A Monday My Momma Come To See Me On A Tuesday They Caught Me With A File  
On A Wednesday I'm Down In Solitary On A Thursday I Start On Bread And Water For A While

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