

If I Were A Carpenter

(A)

Johnny Cash/June Carter

Intro-A-A-A-A

Play—A7 High On The Neck

 G D A G D A
If I were a carpenter and you were a lady would you marry me anyway would you have my baby
 G D A G D A
If you were a carpenter and I were a lady I'd marry you anyway I'd have your baby
 G D A G D A
If a tinker was my trade would you still find you I be carrin' the pots you made followin' behind you

Chorus—

 G A D A
Save my love through loneliness save my love for sorrow
 G D A
I gave you my oiliness come give me your tomorrow

Lead—G-D-A G-D-A D-D-A- D-D-A

 G D A
If I were a miller at a mill wheel grinding
 G D A
Would you miss your color blouse and your soft shoe shining
 G D A G D A
If I were a miller at a mill who grinds me I'd not miss my colored blouse and my soft shoe shining

Repeat Chorus—

 G A D A
Save my love through loneliness save my love for sorrow
 G D A
I gave you my oiliness come give me your tomorrow

Lead—G-D-A G-D-A D-D-A- D-D-A

 G D A
If I worked my hands in wood would you still love me
 G D A
I'd answer you yes I would and would you not be above me
 G D A G D A
If I were a carpenter and you were a lady I'd marry me anyway I'd have you're baby

Repeat Chorus—

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Save my love through loneliness save my love for sorrow
 G D A
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G-D-A Retard--- G-D-A