

That Lucky Old Sun

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C Up in the mornin' out on the job **Am**
C Work like the devil for my pay **F** **C** **C7**
 But that lucky old sun got nothin' to do **F**
 But roll around heaven all day. **D7** **G7** **C**

C Fuss with my woman, toil for my kids **Am**
C Sweat till I'm wrinkled and gray **F** **C** **C7**
 While that lucky old sun got nothin' to do **F**
 But roll around heaven all day. **D7** **G7** **C**

Am **Em** **F** **C**
 Good Lord above, can't you know I'm pining,
F **G** **C**
 tears all in my eyes
Am **Em** **F** **C**
 Send down that cloud with a silver lining,
D7 **G** **G7**
 lift me to Paradise

C Show me that river, take me across **Am**
C Wash all my troubles away **F** **C** **C7**
 Like that lucky old sun, give me nothing to do **C** **F**
 But roll around heaven all day. **D7** **G7** **C**

Here are some variations you can try.

Variation 1 (Sam Cooke)

But that lucky old sun got nothin' to do **F** **Fm** **C** **A7**
 But roll around heaven all day. **D7** **G7** **C**

Variation 2 (Louis Armstrong)

But that lucky old sun got nothin' to do **F** **Fm6**
 But roll around heaven all day. **D7** **G7** **C**

