

The Speed of The Sound of Loneliness – John Prine

[Intro]

D D G G A A D D

[Verse 1]

D G
You come home late and you come home early
A D D
You come on big when you're feeling small
D G
You come home straight and you come home curly
A D
Sometimes you don't come home at all.

[Chorus]

D D G
So what in the world's come over you
A D
And what in heaven's name have you done.
D D G
You've broken the speed of the sound of loneliness
A D
You're out there running just to be on the run.

[Verse 2]

D G
Well I got a heart that burns with a fever,
A D
And I got a worried and a jealous mind.
D G
How can a love that'll last forever,
A D
Get left so far behind.

[Chorus]

D D G
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A D
And what in heaven's name have you done.
D D G
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[Instrumental]

D D G G A A D D

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[Verse 3]

D D G
It's a mighty mean and a dreadful sorrow,
A D
It's crossed the evil line today.

D G
How can you ask about tomorrow,
A D
We ain't got one word to say.

[Outro]

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A D
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D D G
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