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Knockin' on Your Screen Door  
John Prine

I ain't got nobody hangin' 'round my doorstep  
Ain't got no loose change just a-hangin' 'round my jeans  
If you see somebody, would you send em' over my way?  
I could use some help here with a can of pork and beans

I once had a family but they up and left me  
With nothing but an 8-track, another side of George  
Jones

I was in high cotton, just a-bangin' on my six-string  
A-kickin' at the trash can, walkin' skin and bones  
Chorus

I can see your back porch if I close my eyes now  
I can hear the train tracks through the laundry on the line  
I'm thinking it's your business, but you don't got to

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I'm knocking on your screen door in the summertime  
Inst. <sup>ADAE</sup> BEBF#

Everybody's out there climbin' on the trees now

Swingin' in the breeze now, hangin' on the vine

I'm dreamin' 'bout a sailboat, I don't need a fur coat

Underneath the dashboard got some sweet potato wine

Chorus  
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