

# Lost John

**G**

Lost John sittin' on a railroad track

**D G**

Waiting for the freight train to come back

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Freight train comin' and it won't be long

**D G**

Old Lost John done been there and gone

(Chorus)

**G D G**

**Long gone, Lost John**

Now the funniest thing you ever seen  
was Lost John coming through Bowling Green  
No hat on his head, no shoes on his feet  
Begging all the women for the bread and meat

(Chorus)

Had an old dog his name was Bill  
He run all the time on the top of the hill  
Lost John's yonder and he ain't come back  
went out yonder on the railroad track

(Chorus)

Lost John sittin' on a railroad track  
Waiting for the freight train to come back  
Freight train comin' and it make no stop  
You aught-a see Lost John gettin' on top

(Chorus)