

MEMPHIS TENNESSEE - CHUCK BERRY

(steady rock tempo) Key of G

Intro: Bass riff = ~~

~C G

1. Long-distance information, get me Memphis, Tennessee,

help me find the party who tried to get in touch with me.

C

She could not leave her number, but I know who placed the call,

G

G7

G

C

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'cause my uncle took a message and he wrote it on the wall.

G

2. Help me, information, get in touch with my Marie,

she's the only one who phones me here from Memphis, Tennessee.

C

Her home is on the south side, high upon the ridge,

G

G7

G

C

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just a half a mile from the Mississippi bridge.

G

3. Help me, information, more than that I cannot add,

only that I miss her and all the fun we had.

C

But we were pulled apart because her mom would not agree,

G

G7

G

C

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tore apart our happy home in Memphis, Tennessee.

G

4. Last time I saw Marie, she was wavin' me goodbye,

with hurry-home drops on her cheeks that trickled from her eyes.

C

Marie is only 6 years old, information please,

G

G7

G

C

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try to put me through to her in Memphis, Tennessee. X 2