Whiskey Before Breakfast



Early one day the sun wouldn't shine









I was walking down the street not feeling too fine



I saw two men with a bottle between 'em









And this was the song that I heard them singing

CHORUS:



Lord preserve us and protect us,





We've been drinking whiskey 'fore breakfast















C Well I stopped by the steps where they was sitting F C G C
And I couldn't believe how drunk they were getting C
I said "old men, have you been drinking long?" F C G C
They said "just long enough to be singing this song"
CHORUS
C Well they passed me the bottle and I took a little sip F C G C And it felt so good I just couldn't quit
C
I drank some more and next thing I knew F C G C
There were three of us sitting there singing this tune
CHORUS
C
C One by one everybody in the town F C G C
They heard our ruckus and they all came down C
And pretty soon all the streets were ringing F C G C
With the sound of the whole town laughing and singing

CHORUS