

Marie Provost  
From the album Jesus of Cool  
Key: G

Tuning: EADGBE

Crazy lyric. Great pop song.

G C D  
Marie Provost did not look her best  
G C D  
The day the cops bust into her lonely nest  
G Em  
In the cheap hotel up on Hollywood West  
C D  
July Twenty Nine

G C D  
She'd been lying there for two or three weeks  
G C D  
The neighbours said they never heard a squeak  
G Em  
While hungry eyes that could not speak  
C D  
Said even little doggies have got to eat

G D/F# C C/B Am  
She was a winner that became a doggie's dinner  
G  
She never meant that much to me  
C D G C G D  
Who oh oh oh oh poor Ma-rie

G C D  
Marie Provost was a movie queen  
G C D  
Mysterious angel of the silent screen  
G Em  
And run like the wind the nation's young men steamed  
C D  
When Marie crossed the silent screen

G C D  
Woah she came out west from New York  
G C D  
But when the talkies came Mar-ie just couldn't cope  
G G/F# Em  
The public said Mar-ie take a walk  
C D  
All the way back to New York

G D/F# C C/B Am  
She was a winner that became a doggie's dinner  
G  
She never meant that much to me  
C D G C G D  
But now I see poor Mar-ie

Instrumental:

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B	-----	-----	-----	-----
G	-4--4--2--0-2-0-	-5--5--4--2-4-2-	-7--7--5--4-5-4-	-9--9--7--5-7-5-
D	-----	-----	-----	-----

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A|-----|-----|-----|-----|
E|-----|-----|-----|-----|
G           Em   C           D       G           Em   C           D

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G C D  
 Those quaalude bombs didn't help her sleep  
 G C D  
 As her nights grew long and her days grew bleak  
 G G/F# Em  
 It's all downhill once you've passed your peak  
 C D  
 Marie got ready for that last big sleep

G C D  
 The cops came in and they looked a-round  
 G C D  
 Throwing up everywhere over what they'd found  
 G G/F# Em  
 The handiwork of Marie's little dachs-hund  
 C D  
 That hungry little dachshund!

G D/F# C C/B Am  
 She was a winner that became a doggie's dinner  
 G  
 She never meant that much to me  
 C D G C G D  
 Who oh oh oh oh poor Ma-rie

G C G D  
 Poor Ma-rie

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 Poor Ma-rie

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 Poor poor Ma-rie

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 Poor Ma-rie

G C G D  
 Poor Ma-rie

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 I hope I've done it justice!

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