

Johnny Paycheck

"Along Came Jones"

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(Jerry Leiber - Mike Stoller)

Well, I plopped down in my easy chair and turned on
Channel Two
A bad gun slinger called Salty Sam was a chasin' poor
Sweet Sue
He trapped her in the old sawmill and he said with an
evil laugh
If you don't give me the deed to your ranch I'll saw you
all in half
And then he grabbed her (and then) he tied her up
(and then)
He turned on the buzz saw (and then, and then.)

Ah, oh and then along came Jones
Tall thin Jones
Slow walking Jones, slow talking Jones
Along came long, lean. lanky Jones.

Well, commercial came on so I got up to get myself a
snack
You should have seen what was going on by the time I
got back
Down in the old abandoned mine sweet Sue was a
havin' fits
That villain said gimme the deed to your ranch or I'll
blow you all to bits
And then he grabbed her (and then) he tied her up
(and then)
He lit the fuse to the dynamite (and then, and then.)

Ah, oh and then along came Jones
Tall thin Jones
Slow walking Jones, slow talking Jones
Along came long, lean. lanky Jones.

--- Instrumental ---

Well, I got so bugged I turned it off and turned on
another show
But there was the same old shoot-em up and the same

old rodeo
Salty Sam was a tryin' to stuff Sweet Sue in a burlap
sack
He said if you don't give me the deed to your ranch
I'm gonna throw you on the railroad track
And then he grabbed her (and then) he tied her up
(and then)
A train started coming (nd then, and then), eh, eh.

Ah, oh and then along came Jones
Tall thin Jones
Slow walking Jones, slow talking Jones
Along came long, lean. lanky Jones...

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