

## Chet Baker

# "Everything Happens To Me"

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I make a date for golf, and you can bet your life it rains.  
I try to give a party, and the guy upstairs complains.  
I guess I'll go through life, just catching colds and  
missing trains.  
Everything happens to me.

I never miss a thing. I've had the measles and the  
mumps.  
And every time I play an ace, my partner always  
trumps.  
I guess I'm just a fool, who never looks before he  
jumps.  
Everything happens to me.

At first, my heart thought you could break this jinx for  
me.  
That love would turn the trick to end despair.  
But now I just can't fool this head that thinks for me.

I've mortgaged all my castles in the air.

I've telegraphed and phoned and sent an air mail  
special too.  
Your answer was goodbye and there was even postage  
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(skat)

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