

The Kingston Trio

"Allentown Jail"

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They locked up her darlin' in Allentown jail, oh, oh, oh,

And no one has come to put up his bail, oh, oh, oh.

They say at the courthouse, he'll never go free, never
go free,

'Cause he stole a diamond, a beautiful diamond to
give, to give to she.

Somewhere in Allentown jail, her heart waits in
Allentown jail.

Oh, well, she'll dance for you, mister, she'll sing you a
song, oh, oh, oh,

But more than that, mister, would surely be wrong, oh,
oh, oh.

But more than that, mister, would surely be wrong for
can't you see?

Her love stole a diamond, a beautiful diamond to give,
to give to she.

You'll find none like him though you search the world
'round, oh, oh, oh,

And that's why you'll need the best lawyer in town, oh,
oh, oh.

You must find a lawyer, the best one in town for can't
you see?

Her love stole a diamond, a beautiful diamond to prove
his love to she.

Somewhere in Allentown jail, her heart waits in
Allentown jail.

Yeah, somewhere in Allentown jail. Somewhere in
Allentown jail. Somewhere in Allentown jail.

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