

A Day In The Life

Words & Music by John Lennon & Paul McCartney

Slow

G Bm/F# Em G/D

p I read the news — to - day, — oh boy,

The first system of musical notation for the first system of the song. It features a treble and bass clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 4/4 time signature. The tempo is marked 'Slow'. The lyrics are 'I read the news — to - day, — oh boy,'. The chords are G, Bm/F#, Em, and G/D. There are fingerings 2 and 3 indicated above the notes.

C Em A Am

a - bout — a luck - y man — who made the grade.

The second system of musical notation. The lyrics are 'a - bout — a luck - y man — who made the grade.' The chords are C, Em, A, and Am. There are fingerings 1 and 3 indicated above the notes.

G Bm/F# Em G/D

And though the news — was ra - ther sad,

The third system of musical notation. The lyrics are 'And though the news — was ra - ther sad,'. The chords are G, Bm/F#, Em, and G/D. There is a fingering 2 indicated above the notes.

C F to Coda 1. Em G/D

well, I just had to laugh. —

The fourth system of musical notation. The lyrics are 'well, I just had to laugh. —'. The chords are C, F, Em, and G/D. There are fingerings 1 and 3 indicated above the notes. The system ends with a 'to Coda' instruction and a first ending bracket.

C F Em C D

I saw the photo-graph.

2. Em G/D C D.C.

No-body was really sure if he was from the house of Lords.

3. Em G/D C Epedal

Hav-ing read the book, I'd love to turn

you on. Woke up,

Double speed $\text{♪} = \text{♪}^3$ E D

got out of bed. Dragged a comb across my head. Found my

E B7

way down - stairs and drank a cup and

1

E B7

look - ing up I no - ticed I was late.

E

Found my coat and grabbed my hat, made the

4 2

D E

bus in sec-onds flat. Found my way up - stairs and

1 2 2

5

B7 E B7

had a smoke and some-bo-dy spoke and I went in-to a dream.

3

CODA

Now they know how ma-ny holes it takes to fill the Al-bert Hall. I'd

Epedal

love to turn improvised end

2. He blew his mind out in a car,
 He didn't notice that the lights had changed.
 A crowd of people stood and stared,
 They'd seen his face before.

3. I saw a film today, oh boy,
 The English army had just won the war.
 A crowd of people turned away,
 But I just had to look.

4. I heard the news today, oh boy,
 Four thousand holes in Blackburn, Lancashire.
 And though the holes were rather small,
 They had to count them all.