

Going to the Zoo

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Intro: [C] [C]

[C] Daddy's takin' us to the zoo tomorrow,

[G] Zoo tomorrow, zoo tomorrow

[C] Daddy's takin' us to the zoo tomorrow

[G7] we can stay all [C] day

[C] We're goin' to the [F] zoo, zoo, zoo

[F] How about [C] you, you, you?

[C] You can come [G7] too, too, too

[G7] We're goin' to the [C] zoo, zoo, zoo

[C] See the elephant with the long trunk swingin'

[G] Great big ears and a long trunk swingin'

[C] Snuffin' up peanuts with a long trunk swingin'

[G7] we can stay all [C] day

[C] We're goin' to the [F] zoo, zoo, zoo

[F] How about [C] you, you, you?

[C] You can come [G7] too, too, too

[G7] We're goin' to the [C] zoo, zoo, zoo

[C] See all the monkeys they're scritch-scratch scratchin'

[G] Jumpin' all around and scritch-scratch scratchin'

[C] Hangin' by the long-tails scritch-scratch scratchin'

[G7] we can stay all [C] day

[C] We're goin' to the [F] zoo, zoo, zoo

[F] How about [C] you, you, you?

[C] You can come [G7] too, too, too

[G7] We're goin' to the [C] zoo, zoo, zoo

[C] Big black bear, he's a huff-puff-a-puffin'

[G] Coat's too heavy, he's a huff-puff-a-puffin'

[C] Don't get too near the huff-puff-a-puffin'

[G7] Or you won't stay all [C] day

[C] We're goin' to the [F] zoo, zoo, zoo

[F] How about [C] you, you, you?

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[C] You can come [G7] too, too, too
[G7] We're goin' to the [C] zoo, zoo, zoo

[C] Seals in the pool all honk-honk-honkin'
[G] Catchin' fish and honk-honk-honkin'
[C] Little seals all honk-honk-honkin'
[G7] We can stay all [C] day

[C] We're goin' to the [F] zoo, zoo, zoo
[F] How about [C] you, you, you?
[C] You can come [G7] too, too, too
[G7] We're goin' to the [C] zoo, zoo, zoo

(SLOW DOWN GETTING QUIET)

[C] We stayed all day and we're gettin' sleepy
[G] Sittin' in the car gettin' sleep sleep sleepy
[C] Home already and we're sleep sleep sleepy
[G7] We have stayed all [C] day

(SLOW AND QUIET, YAWNING)

[C] We been to the [F] zoo zoo zoo
[F] So have [C] you you you
[C] You came [G7] too too too
[G7] We been to the [C] zoo zoo zoo

(SPEEDING UP)

[C] Mommy's Takin' Us to the Zoo Tomorrow
[G] Zoo tomorrow, zoo tomorrow!
[C] Mommy's takin' us to the zoo tomorrow
[G7] we can stay all [C] day

[C] We're goin' to the [F] zoo, zoo, zoo
[F] How about [C] you, you, you?
[C] You can come [G7] too, too, too [G7]
We're goin' to the [C] zoo, zoo, zoo

[C] We're goin' to the [F] zoo, zoo, zoo
[F] How about [C] you, you, you?
[C] You can come [G7] too, too, too
[G7] We're goin' to the [C!] zoo, [C!] zoo, [C!] zoo