

## **Frankie And Johnny**

Recorded by Hank Snow written by Jimmie Rodgers

**(C) Now Frankie and Johnny were sweethearts  
Oh Lordy how they did love  
(F) Swore to be true to each other, true as the stars (C) above  
He was her (G7) man, and he won't do her no (C) wrong**

**(C) Now Frankie went down to the corner  
Just for a bucket of beer  
She (F) said Mr. Bartender, has my loving Johnny been (C) here  
He is my (G7) man, and he won't do me no (C) wrong**

**(C) I don't want to cause you no trouble  
Woman I ain't gonna lie  
But I (F) saw your lover an hour ago, with a girl named Nellie (C) Blie  
He is your (G7) man, but he's doing you (C) wrong**

**(C) Now Frankie looked over the transom  
She saw to her surprise  
There (F) on the couch sat Johnny, making love to Nellie (C) Blie  
He is my (G7) man, but he's doing me (C) wrong**

**(C) Frankie threw back her Kimono  
Took out her little 44  
Rutty (F) toot-toot three times she did shoot, right through that hardwood (C) door  
She shot her (G7) man, 'cause he was doing her (C) wrong**

**(C) Now bring out your rubber tired hearses  
Bring out your rubber tired hack  
I'm (F) taken my man to the graveyard, and I ain't gonna bring him (C) back  
He was my (G7) man, but he has done me (C) wrong**

**(C) Bring round a thousand policemen  
Bring 'em around today  
To (F) lock me down in that dungeon cell, and throw that key (C) away  
I shot my (G7) man, 'cause he was doing me (C) wrong**

**(C) Now Frankie she said to the warden  
What are they going to do  
The (F) warden he said to Frankie, it's the electric chair for (C) you  
You shot your (G7) man, 'cause he was doing you (C) wrong**

**(C) Now this story has no moral  
This story has no end  
This (F) story just goes to show, that a good man will sometimes (C) bend  
He was her (G7) man, but he had done her (C) wrong**