Key of C **97 BPM**

I've Got a Tiger by the Tail

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Chorus:

I've got a tiger by the tail it's plain to see

G7 C G7

I won't be much when you get through with me

Well I'm a losing weight and I'm turning mighty pale

G7

Looks like I've got a tiger by the tail

Verse 1:

Well I thought the day I met you, you were meek as a lamb

G7

Just the kind to fit my dreams and plans

Now the pace we're living takes the wind from my sails

And it looks like I've got a tiger by the tail

Chorus:

F

I've got a tiger by the tail it's plain to see G7

I won't be much when you get through with me

Well I'm a losing weight and I'm turning mighty pale

Looks like I've got a tiger by the tail

Verse 2:

Well every night you drag me where the bright lights are found

G7 C There ain't no way to slow you down I'm about as helpless as a leaf in a gale And it looks like I've got a tiger by the tail **Chorus and Ending:** F C I've got a tiger by the tail it's plain to see **G7** C I won't be much when you get through with me Well I'm a losing weight and I'm turning mighty pale **G7** Looks like I've got a tiger by the tail G7 Looks like I've got a tiger by the tail