

(tacet) C G
Goodbye Joe, me gotta go, me oh, my oh
G C
Me gotta go, pole the pirogue down the bayou.
C G
My Yvonne, the sweetest one, me oh, my oh.
G C
Son of a gun, we'll have big fun on the bayou.

CHORUS

C G
Well jambalaya, and a crawfish pie and fillet gumbo
G C
Cause tonight I'm gonna see my ma-cher-a-mio
C G
Pick guitar, fill fruit jar, and be gay-o
G C
Son of a gun, we'll have big fun on the bayou

(tacet) C G
Thibo-daux, Fontaineaux, the place is buzzin,
G C
Kinfolk come to see Yvonne by the dozen.
C G
We dress in style and go how wild, me oh my oh,
G C
Son of a gun, we'll have big fun on the bayou.

(Chorus)

(tacet) C G
Settle down far from town, get me a pirogue
G C
And I'll catch all the fish in the bayou
C G
Swap my mon to buy Yvone what she need-o
G C
Son of a gun, we'll have big fun on the bayou.

(Chorus x2)