

# Surrey With the Fringe on Top

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[C] Chicks and [G] ducks and [C] geese  
better [G] scurry

[C] When I [G] take ya [C] out in the  
[G] surrey

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[G] surrey

With the [D] fringe on [G] top

[C] Watch that [G] fringe and [C] see  
how it [G] flutters

[C] When I [G] drive them [C] high  
steppin' [G] strutters

[C] Nosey [G] pokes'll [C] peek thru  
their [G] shutters

And their [D7] eyes'll [G7] pop

[BRIDGE]

The [C7] wheels are yellow, the [F]  
upholstery's [D] brown

The [C] dashboard's genuine [F] leather

With [D7] isinglass curtains y' can [G]  
roll right down

In [D7] case there's a change in the [G7]  
wea- [C7] ther

[C] Two bright sidelights winkin' and  
blinkin'

[C] Ain't no [G] finer rig I'm a thinkin'

[C] You can [G] keep your [C] rig if  
you're thinkin'

That I'd [F] care t' [Dm] swap

For that [G] shiny little surrey

With the [Dm] fringe [G] on the [C] top

[BRIDGE]

The [C] wind 'll whistle as we [F] rattle  
a- [D] long,

The [C] cows 'll moo in the [F] clover.

The [D7] river will ripple out a [G]  
whispered song,

And [D7] whisper it over and [G7] over.

[C] I can [G] see the [C] stars gettin' [G]  
blurry

[C] When we [G] ride back [C] home in  
the [G] surrey

[C] Riding [G] slowly [C] home in the  
[G] surrey

With the [D] fringe on [G7] top

[C] I can [G] feel the [C] day gettin' [G]  
older

[C] Feel a [G] sleepy head [C] near my  
[G] shoulder

[C] Noddin', [G] droopin' [C] close to  
my [G] shoulder

'Til it [F] falls ker- [G7] plopp

The [C7] sun is swimmin' on the [F] rim  
of a [D] hill

The [C] moon is takin' a [F] header

And [D7] just as I'm thinkin' all the [G]  
earth is still

A [Am7] lark wakes [D7] up in the [G7]  
meader

[C] Hush you [G] bird my [C] baby's a  
[G] sleepin'

[C] Maybe [G] got a [C] dream worth a  
[G] keepin'

[C] Whoa you [G] team, and [C] just  
keep a [G] creepin'

At a [F] slow [Em] clip- [D] clopp

Don't you [C] hurry with the [Gm]  
surrey

With the [Dm] fringe [G7] on the [C]  
top