

# Johnny Rivers - The Snake

Tom: **A**

**Dm**

**A7**

**Dm**

**A7**

**Dm**

Chorus: **Dm**

Snake **A7**

On her way to work one morning, down the path  
 along a lake  
 A tender hearted woman found a poor half frozen snake  
 His pretty coloured skin had been all frosted with the dew  
 'Oh, snake' she said 'I'll take you in and I'll take care of you'.  
 Take me in tender woman, take me in for heaven  
 Take me in oh tender woman sssssssighed the  
 She wrapped him up all cozy in a comforter of  
 And laid him by the fireside with some honey and some  
 She hurried home from work that night, as soon as she

arrived  
 She found that pretty snake she'd taken in had been revived  
 Chorus  
 She clutched him to her bosom 'You're so beautiful' she cried  
 'And if I hadn't brought you in by now you might have well had died'  
 She stroked his pretty skin again and kissed and held him tight  
 But instead of saying thanks the snake gave her a vicious bite  
 Chorus  
 'I saved you' cried the woman 'and you've bitten me but why''  
 'You know your bite is poisonous, and now I'm going to die!'  
 "Shut-up silly woman' said that reptile with a grin  
 "You knew darn well I was a snake before you took me in"  
 Chorus

## Acordes

**A**

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**Dm**

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**A7**

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