

Nashville Cats

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Thanks to Oak Bucket Music - Tom Achtenberg

[C] Nash-[G]ville [C] cats play clean as country water
[C] Nash-[G]ville [C] cats play wild as mountain dew
[C] Nash-[G]ville [C] cats been playin' since they's babies
[C] Nash-[G]ville [C] cats get work before they're two

Well there's [C] 13 hundred and 52 guitar [G7] pickers in Nashville

And they can pick more notes than the number of ants

On a [C] Tennessee ant hill

Yeah there's 13 hundred and [C7] 52 guitar [F] cases in Nashville

And any [G7] one that unpacks his guitar can play

Twice as [C] better than I will

Yes I was just 13 you might say I was a musical pro-[G7]verbial knee-high

When I heard a couple new soundin' tunes on the tubes

And they [C] blasted me sky-high

And the record man said every [C7] one is a yellow sun

[F] record from Nashville

And up [G] north here ain't nobody buys 'em and I said but [C] I will

And it was

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[C] Well there's 16 thousand 821 [G7] mothers from Nashville

All their friends play music and they ain't up-tight

If [C] one of the kids will

Because it's custom-made for any [C7] mother's son

To be a [F] guitar picker in Nashville

And I [G7] sure am glad I got a chance to say a word

About the music and the mothers from [C] Nashville

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