

SOUVENIRS

Based on the composition and recordings by **John Prine**

4 / 4 Capo 2

Intro.	D	/.	G	/.	A7	/.
	D	D / one beat and Pause / / / 3 beats				
Verse	NC		G	/.		
		All the snow has turned to water				
	A7	/.	D	/.		
		Christmas days have come and gone				
	D	/.	G	/.		
		Broken toys and faded colours				
	A7	/.	D	/.		
		Are all that's left to linger on				
	D	/.	G	/.		
		I hate graveyards and old pawn shops				
	A7	/.	D	/.		
		For they always bring me tears				
	D	/.	G	/.		
		I can't forget the way they robbed me				
	A7	/.	D	/.		
		Of my childhood souvenirs				
Chorus	A7	/.	D	/.		
		Memories, they can't be boughten				
	A7	/.	D	/.		
		They can't be won at carnivals for free				
	A7	/.	D	/.		
		Well it took me years to get those souvenirs				
		G	/.	A7	/.	
		And I don't know how they slipped away from me				

Instrumental (i.e. repeat Intro.)

D / G / A7 /

D D / one beat and Pause / / / 3 beats

Verse NC G /
Broken hearts and dirty windows

A7 / D /
Make life difficult to see

D / G /
That's why last night and this morning

A7 / D /
Always look the same to me

D / G /
And I hate reading old love letters

A7 / D /
For they always bring me tears

D / G /
I can't forget the way they robbed me

A7 / D /
Of my sweetheart's souvenirs

Chorus A7 / D /
Memories, they can't be boughten

A7 / D /
They can't be won at carnivals for free

A7 / D /
Well it took me years to get those souvenirs

G / A7 /
And I don't know how they slipped away from me

Outro. D / G / A7 /

D D / one beat & stop