

# Jambalaya (On The Bayou)

By Hank Williams

**C** **G**  
Good-bye, 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)**

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'Cause tonight I'm gonna see my ma chère amie-oh  
Pick guitar, fill fruit jar, and be gay-oh  
Son of a gun, we'll have big fun on the bayou.***

Thibodaux, Fontaineaux, the place is buzzin'  
Kinfolk come to see Yvonne by the dozen.  
Dress in style and go hog wild, me oh my oh  
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*(Instrumental break)*

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Settle down far from town, get me a pirogue  
And I'll catch all the fish in the bayou  
Swap my mon to buy Yvonne what she need-o  
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