

# JESUS FOR PRIME MINISTER!

<sup>G</sup>  
*Jesus for Prime Minister.*  
<sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
*The Nazarene's our man.*  
<sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
*Caste your vote for the carpenter.*  
<sup>D</sup> <sup>G</sup>  
*He'll build a better land.*

<sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
Every year we waste enough  
<sup>G</sup> <sup>D</sup>  
To feed the folks who starve;  
<sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
Set our political economy up,  
<sup>D</sup> <sup>G</sup>  
And shoot it down with wars.

Chorus

<sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
The only way we'll ever have  
<sup>G</sup> <sup>D</sup>  
Real justice on the ground,  
<sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
Is to overturn the tables, an'  
<sup>D</sup> <sup>G</sup>  
Run the scoundrels out of town.

Chorus

<sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
But Jesus doesn't want a job  
<sup>G</sup> <sup>D</sup>  
Tellin' others what to do.  
<sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
He'd rather show you how its done  
<sup>D</sup> <sup>G</sup>  
And leave the job to you.

<sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
*Jesus ain't a minister.*  
<sup>G</sup> <sup>D</sup>  
*He's a grafter in a gang.*  
<sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
*He's looking for some extra hands*  
<sup>D</sup> <sup>G</sup>  
*To build a better land.*

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