

Led Zeppelin - Gallows Pole

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[Verse 1]

Hangman, hangman, hold it a little while
I think I see my friends coming, riding many a mile
Friends, you get some silver?
Did you get a little gold?
What did you bring me, my dear friends
To keep me from the gallows pole?
What did you bring me to keep me from the gallows
pole?
I couldn't get no silver, I couldn't get no gold
You know that we're too **damn** poor to keep you from
the gallows pole

[Verse 2]

Hangman, hangman, hold it a little while
I think I see my brother coming, riding many a mile
Brother, you get me some silver?
Did you get a little gold?
What did you bring me, my brother, to keep me from

the gallows pole?

Brother, I brought you some silver, yeah
I brought a little gold, I brought a little of everything
To keep you from the gallows pole
Yes, I brought you to keep you from the gallows pole

[Verse 3]

Hangman, hangman, turn your head awhile
I think I see my sister coming, riding many mile, mile,
mile

Sister, I implore you, take him by the hand
Take him to some shady bower
Save me from the wrath of this man
Please take him, save me from the wrath of this mad,
man

Hangman, hangman, upon your face a smile
Tell me that I'm free to ride
Ride for many mile, mile, mile

[Verse 4]

Oh yes, you got a fine sister
She warmed my blood from cold
She warmed my blood to boiling hot to keep you from
the gallows pole
Your brother brought me silver, your sister warmed

my soul

But now I laugh and pull so hard, see you swinging
from the gallows pole

But now I laugh and pull so hard, see you swinging
from the gallows pole

Swingin' on the gallows pole!

Swingin' on the gallows pole!

Swingin' on the gallows pole!

Swingin' on the gallows pole

Pole, pole, pole, pole, pole, pole, yeah

[Outro]

Ah-ha-ha

Swingin'

Swingin' on the gallows pole!

I gotta swing!

See-saw marjory daw

I gotta swing!

See-saw knock at my door

I gotta sing

Keep on singing

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