

# GIVE YOURSELF A PAT ON THE BACK

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## Verse 1

**C** **Gdim7** **G7**  
When you're feeling down in the dumps,  
Down in the dumps and blue,  
**G7** **C**  
Pull up your socks and put out your chest,  
**Am7b5** **G** **D7** **G7**  
And do what I always do.

## Chorus

**C** **Gdim7** **G7**  
Give yourself a pat on the back,  
Pat on the back, pat on the back,  
**F** **Cdim7** **C**  
And say to yourself, "Here's jolly good health  
**G7** **C** **C7**  
I've had a good day, today".

**F** **C** **A7**  
Yesterday was full of trouble and sorrow  
**Dm** **D7** **G7**  
Nobody knows what's going to happen tomorrow,  
**Gaug** **C** **Gdim7** **G7**  
So give yourself a pat on the back,  
**C**  
Pat on the back, pat on the back,  
**F** **Cdim7** **C**  
And say to yourself, "Here's jolly good health  
**G7** **C**  
I've had a good day, today".

## Verse 2

**C** **Gdim7** **G7**  
Doctor Quack is waiting for you,  
**C**  
Waiting for you to call.  
**G7** **C**  
Give him a miss and blow him a kiss,  
**Am7b5** **G** **D7** **G7**  
This medicine's best of all.

**Repeat chorus.**

**Arrangement by Dave Calvert**