

# Poison Ivy

The Coasters/Billy Thorpe & the Aztecs

Rock & Pop Strum

Intro : 4 bars (2 riffs) | // // // | D C D | // // // | D C D |

**D stop** | **D C D** | **D stop** | **D C D**  
 She comes on like a rose, and everybody knows  
**D stop** | **D C D** | **D sprong** | **Bm sprong**  
 She'll get you in dutch, you can look but you better not touch  
 | **Bm** | **Bm** | **F#|F#** | **Bm**  
 Poison iv-y-y, poison iv-y-y, late at night while you're sleepin'  
 | **Em** | **D** | **A7** // // // // //  
 Poison ivy comes a-creepin' a-rou-ou-ou-ound  
**D stop** | **D C D** | **D stop** | **D C D**  
 She's pretty as a daisy, but look out man she's crazy  
**D stop** | **D C D** | **D sprong** | **Bm sprong**  
 She'll really do you in, if you let her get under your skin  
 | **Bm** | **Bm** | **F#|F#** | **Bm**  
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 | **Em** | **D** | **A7** // // // // //  
 Poison ivy comes a-creepin' a-rou-ou-ou-ound

Bridge: **G** | **G**  
 Measles make you bumpy, and mumps can make you lumpy  
 | **D** | **D**  
 And chicken pox can make you jump and twitch  
 | **G** | **G**  
 A common cold will fool ya, and whooping cough can cool ya  
 | **A7 stop** | **A7** // // // // //  
 But poison ivy love'll make you itch

**D stop** | **D C D** | **D stop** | **D C D**  
 You're gonna need an ocean, of calamine lotion  
**D stop** | **D C D** | **D sprong** | **Bm sprong**  
 You'll be scratchin' like a hound, the minute she starts to mess a-round  
 | **Bm** | **Bm** | **F#|F#** | **Bm**  
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**|D C D |D sprong**

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**|Bm |Bm**

**|F#|F#**

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**|Em**

**|D**

**|A7 // // // //**

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**Ending: D sprong , C sprong |D D C C D ||**