

Squirming Coil

Phish

V1

G **F**
The squirming coil of sunset I keep within my reach
C **G**
Tried yesterday to get away and hitchhiked to the beach
G **F**
I saw Satan on the beach trying to catch a ray
C **G**
He wasn't quite the speed of light and the squirming coil
Fmaj7 C **G**
It got away, It got away (4x)

Interlude 1

V2

Bb **Fm7**
The muscles flex the mother's ring, she fastens children to her king
Bb **Fm7**
And sends him down the crooked street, When he returns, the birth's complete
Bb **Fm7**
Jimmy holds the Tannis root, the forest's tasty nectar shoot
Bb **Fm7**
The sun tips off the monarch's suit from sequined sash to shiny boot
Bbm **Gb**
"I'd like to lick the coil some day, like Iccarus, who had to pay
Ab **Bbm**
with melting wax and feathers brown, he tasted it on his way down"
Stun the puppy! Burn the whale!
Gb **Ab**
Bark a scruff and go to jail! Forge the coin and lick the stamp!
Bb
Little Jimmy's off to camp

Interlude 2

G **Fmaj7 C** **G**
Outro It got away, It got away (repeat)
(Piano Jam: F C G)

Notes 8/16/96 (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ROrxsqfNP5Y>)
December (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=thmTiP_K5ZU)