

# Angel From Montgomery (John Prine)

Key G

402 Gr

**G** **C** **G** **C**  
I am an old woman named after my mother  
**G** **C** **D** **G**  
My old man is another child that's grown old  
**G** **C** **G** **C**  
If dreams were lightning and thunder was desire  
**G** **C** **D** **G**  
This old house would have burnt down a long time ago

**Chorus:**

**F** **C** **G**  
Make me an angel that flies from Montgom'ry  
**F** **C** **G**  
Make me a poster of an old rodeo  
**F** **C** **G**  
Just give me one thing that I can hold on to  
**C** **D** **G**  
To believe in this living is just a hard way to go

**G** **C** **G** **C**  
When I was a young girl well, I had me a cowboy  
**G** **C** **D** **G**  
He weren't much to look at, just free rambling man  
**G** **C** **G** **C**  
But that was a long time and no matter how I try  
**G** **C** **D** **G**  
The years just flow by like a broken down dam.

**(Chorus)**

**G** **C** **G** **C**  
There's flies in the kitchen I can hear 'em there buzzing  
**G** **C** **D** **G**  
And I ain't done nothing since I woke up today.  
**G** **C** **G** **C**  
How the hell can a person go to work in the morning  
**G** **C** **D** **G**  
And come home in the evening and have nothing to say.

**(Chorus)**

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