TWO IN THE BUSH IS BETTER THAN ONE IN THE HAND

Adegbalola 12/85; rev 08/17 open G Death Letter riff

G throughout verse ~~
I've place all my eggs in one basket
So many times before
They've been scrambled, boiled and fried--
Even dropped upon the floor
I've found out in the long run
It's a poor hole that's got one rat
Life's a hard row to hoe
And I'm a harder nut to crack

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                C                    G                G7
Chorus:     You ask me for commitment, you don't understand   2x
                D7            C                          G
            That two in the bush // Is better than one in the hand
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Gonna have my cake
Gonna eat it too
That's the way the cookie crumbles
Don't bite the hand that feeds you
Put your money where your mouth is
Don't let the cat get your tongue
Don't look a gift horse in the mouth
Don't count your chicks before they come
Chorus

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            C                          G
Bridge:     I jumped outta the fire, and into the frying pan
                C                                G
            Gotta strike while the iron is hot, gotta get it when I can
              C
            If you can't lick 'em,  join 'em, you can't fix what is not broke
               A
            I advise you to get out the kitchen
                          D
            Now there's fire where there was smoke
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Don't put yo' big foot in your mouth
Don't start what you can't finish
I need a horse of another color
And the sea is full of fishes
If you can't fit don't force it
In my back, don't stick a knife
Last line on the tip of my tongue
Variety's the spice of life
Chorus