

Play That Funky Music by Wild Cherry

[Intro]

(Main riff)

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D|-----2--0--2-----0-2--| x8
A|-----0h2-----|
E|-0--0-----|      h = Hammer-on

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[Verse 1]

E9

Hey once I was a boogie singer playin' in a rock and roll band
I never had no problems burning down them one night stands

E9

And everything around me got to stop to feelin' so low
And I decided quickly yes I did to disco down and check out the show

[Pre-Chorus]

E9

Yeah they was dancin' and singin' and movin' to the groovin'

E9

And just when it hit me somebody turned around and shouted

[Chorus]

G9

Play that funky music white boy play that funky music right

Bb7

Play that funky music white boy

Em

D

Bm

A7

D

E9

Lay down a boogie and play that funky music till you die

[Verse 2]

E9

I tried to understand this I thought that they were out of their minds
How could I be so foolish how could I to not see I was the one behind

E9

So still I kept on fighting well losing every step of the way
I said I must go back there I got to go back and check to see if things
still the same

[Pre-Chorus]

E9

Yeah they was dancin' and singin' and movin' to the groovin'

E9

And just when it hit me somebody turned around and shouted

[Chorus]

G9

Play that funky music white boy play that funky music right

Bb7

Play that funky music white boy

Em D Bm A7 D E9

Lay down a boogie and play that funky music till you die

[Solo]

E9

[Verse 3]

E9

Now first it wasn't easy changin' rock and roll and minds

And things were getting shaky I thought I'd have to leave it behind

E9

But now its so much better it's so much better I'm funkng out in every way

But I'll never lose that feelin' no I won't of how I learned my lesson that day

[Pre-Chorus]

E9

Yeah they was dancin' and singin' and movin' to the groovin'

E9

And just when it hit me somebody turned around and shouted

[Chorus]

G9

Play that funky music white boy play that funky music right

Bb7

Play that funky music white boy

Em D Bm A7 D E9

Lay down a boogie and play that funky music till you die

[Outro]

E9

'Til you die

Oh' till you die

G9

They shouted play that funky music

(Play that funky music)

G9

Play that funky music

(You Gotta keep on playin' funky music)

Play that funky music
(Play that funky music)

G9

Play that funky music
(Come and take you higher, ya)

A9

Play that funky music white boy
Play that funky music right, yeah

A9

Play that funky music white boy
Play that funky music right

A9

Play that funky music white boy
Play that funky music right