

# Play That Funky Music - Wild Cherry

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Hey, do it now

Hey, once I was a boogie singer  
Playin' in a rock-and-roll band  
I never had no problems  
Burnin' down the one-night stands

And everything around me  
Got to start to feelin' so low  
And I decided quickly  
Yes, I did  
To disco down and check out the show

Yeah they were dancin' and singin'  
And movin' to the groovin'  
And just when it hit me  
Somebody turned around and shouted

"Play that funky music, white boy  
Play that funky music right  
Play that funky music, white boy  
Lay down that boogie  
And play that funky music 'til you die."

'Til you die?

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

So still I kept on fighting  
Well, losing every step by the way  
... we can do  
I said, I must go back there  
I got to go back  
And check to see if things still the same

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Gonna play some electrified funky music

Hey, wait a minute

Now first it wasn't easy  
Changing rock-and-rolling minds  
And things were gettin' shaky  
I thought I'd have to leave it behind

Oh, but now it's so much better (it's so much better)  
I'm funkign out in every way  
But I'll never lose that feelin' (you know, I won't)  
Of how I learned my lesson that day

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They shouted

"Play that funky music  
Play that funky music  
Play that funky music  
You got to keep on playin' funky music  
Play that funky music  
Play that funky music  
Play that funky music  
Gonna take you high and low."

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