**G** **C** **G** **C** **A7** **D7** **Eb7** **D7**

**G**  **C**

Robert Earl is a friend of mine

**G**  **C**

You know he's always looking after my best interest

**G**  **C**

He told me: Lyle P. you need to get some action

**A7** **D7**

Get your head back in line

**B7** **C7**

You need to get out on your own, boy

**B7** **C7**

This hanging around here's got to stop

**Eb7** **D7**

Get out on your own, boy

**Eb7** **D7**

And take a little trip to the record shop

**G**

I said: The record shop?

**C**

But, Robert, I don't need no records

**G** **C**

He just smiled and he said what you need is a

**G**  **C**

Record lady (record lady)

**G**  **C**

Record lady (record lady)

**A7**

She's got the cutest little cartridge

**D7**

That you've ever seen

**Eb7** **D7**

She's a phonographic dream

I didn't waste no time about it

I put on my coat and shoes

I packed up my old rocking chair

And I left them hell on Church Street blues

And I went down to the record shop

What else could I do?

She was five-foot-one and three-quarters inches

But Lord, she claimed she five-foot-two

Well she looked at me with her big green eyes

She said: Can I help you find something?

I said: What you got on special?

Record lady (record lady)

Record lady (record lady)

She's got the cutest little cartridge

That you've ever seen

She's a phonographic dream

Acting very sophisticated

I began to browse around

I walked up to the record lady

And I said: I sure do like what I have found

It would be so beautiful

Please, come away with me

We could run down to Istanbul

Or maybe even gay Paree

Well she looked at me with her big green eyes

She said: Can I help you find something?

I said: What you got on special?

Record lady (record lady)

Record lady (record lady)

She's got the cutest little cartridge

That you've ever seen

She's a phonographic dream

A phonographic dream

One day you know I will see

My phonographic fantasy

In sweet fulfillment to the last detail

Down in Acapulco or even somewhere else

Just her and me together

The whole day long

Her and me together

Playing them records all night long

She's the record lady (record lady)

Record lady (record lady)

Record lady (record lady)

She set 'er spinning mama (record lady)

Don't ever stop

Record lady (record lady)

Record lady (record lady)

**A7** **D7** **Eb7** **D7**

Ooooh Ooooh Ooooh Ooooh

**Eb7** **D7**

Ooooh Ooooh

**F#7** **G7**