

Play that funky music

Key: E

Wild Cherry

Intro

E9 **E9** **E9** **E9**

(plucked guitar riff) Hey, do it now, huh!

E9 **E9**

(Bm-Bm Bm-A#m-Bm C#m-Cm) (Bm-Bm Bm-A#m-Bm C#m-Cm)

E9 **E9**

Yeah hey!

Verse 1

E9 **E9**

Yeah, once I was a boogie singer

E9 **E9**

Playin' in a Rock and Roll Band (e-d-e F#9-F9-E9-E9)

E9 **E9**

I never had no problems, yeah

E9 **E9**

Burnin' down the one night stands (e-d-e F#9-F9-E9-E9)

E9 **E9**

Yeah and everything around me, yeah

E9 **E9**

Got to stop to feelin' so low (e-d-e F#9-F9-E9-E9)

E9 **E9**

And I decided quickly, yes I did

E9 **E9**

To disco down and check out the show. (eg#e-dgd-eg#e)

Pre-Chorus

E9

E9

Yeah, there was (clap) dancin' and singin' and movin' to the groovin'

E9

E9

And just when it hit me somebody turned around and shouted

Chorus

G9

G9

(Dm)Play that funky music white boy

G9

G9

Play that funky music right

G9

Bb9

Play that funky music white boy

Cmaj7(2) **Esus4(2)** **E7sus4(2)**

D(2) **D#(2)** **E7**

Lay down the boogie and play that funky music till you (d-e)die

E9

E9

E9

Till you die Oh yeah yeah

Verse 2

E9

E9

Hell, I tried to understand this, yeah

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I thought that they were out of their minds (e-d-e F#9-F9-E9-E9)

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How could I be so foolish? How could I?

E9

E9

To not see I was the one behind (e-d-e F#9-F9-E9-E9)

E9

E9

So still I kept on fighting.

E9

E9

Well, losing every step of the way (e-d-e F#9-F9-E9-E9)

E9

E9

I said, I must go back there, I got to go back

E9

E9

And check to see if things still the same (eg#e-dgd-eg#e)

Pre-Chorus

E9

E9

Yeah, there was (clap) dancin' and singin' and movin' to the groovin'

E9

E9

And just when it hit me somebody turned around and shouted

Chorus

G9

G9

Play that funky music white boy

G9

G9

Play that funky music right

G9

Bb9

Play that funky music white boy

Cmaj7

E7sus4

E7

Lay down the boogie and play that funky music till you (d-e)die

E9

E9

Till you die, yeah. Oh, till you die

E9

Come on, play some electrified boogie music

Guitar Solo

E9 E9 E9 E9

Verse 3

E9

E9

Now first it wasn't easy

E9

E9

Changin' Rock and Roll and minds (e-d-e F#9-F9-E9-E9)

E9

E9

And things were getting shaky

E9

E9

I thought I'd have to leave it behind (e-d-e F#9-F9-E9-E9)

E9

E9

But now it's so much better. It's so much better.

E9

E9

I'm funk'g out in every way (e-d-e F#9-F9-E9-E9)

E9

E9

But I'll never lose that feelin'. No I won't.

E9

E9

Of how I learned my lesson that day (eg#e-dgd-eg#e)

Pre-Chorus

E9

E9

Yeah, there was (clap) dancin' and singin' and movin' to the groovin'

E9

E9

And just when it hit me somebody turned around and shouted

Chorus

G9

Bb9

Play that funky music white boy

G9

Bb9

Play that funky music right

G9

Bb9

Play that funky music white boy

Cmaj7

E7sus4

Lay down the boogie and play that funky music till you

E9

E9

(d-e)die. Till you die, yeah.

E9

E9

Oh, till you die yeah

Bridge

G9

G9

They shouted play that funky music. Play that funky music.

G9

G9

Play that funky music. Gotta keep on playin' funky music.

G9

G9

Play that funky music. Play that funky music.

G9

G9

Play that funky music. Gonna take a higher note...

OUTRO

A9

A9

Play that funky music white boy

A9

A9

Play that funky music right

A9

A9

Play that funky music white boy

ENDING BELOW

Cmaj7(2) Esus4(2) E7sus4(2)

Lay down the boogie you play that funky music

D(1) D#(1) E9(2) E9

till you die

D(1) D#(1) E9(2) E9

till you die

D(1) D#(1) E9(2) E9

till you die

D(1) D#(1) E