

Breakdown

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Didn't burn you to the bone
Do what the man says, take the money and run

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In stealing all your gold
Taking all your silver
And doing what I'm told

I never saw the tears but I knew you cried for rhythm `n` blues
Screaming like a wildcat I knew that I had nothing to lose
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Shaking like a leaf in the wind see me blowing away
Never see me fall on the ground till I've had my say
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