

Dr. John

"You Swore"

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You got me drinking gasoline (say'n what I wanna say)
Chasin' it with kerosene (do'in what I wanna do)
Got a fit of nicotine (say'n what I wanna say)
Are you checking out, or what I mean (do'in what I
wanna do)
Keep a peepin' at the clock (say'n what I wanna say)
Just prayin' for your knock (do'in what I wanna do)
Circlin' around the block (say'n what I wanna say)
Keepin' me in a state of shock (do'in what I wanna do)

You swore you'd be home, yesterday (you can look but
you can't find)
You swore you'd be home - yesterday, yeah (you can
look but you can't find, wooh!)

Nailed me to the floor
You can scrape me off the door
I forgot more than you know
Ain't gon' put up with you no more

(short break, w/ slow-
You swore you'd be home, yesterday-uh

(wooh!)

You never said a when, or what (say'n what I wanna
say)
A why, or a where (do'in what I wanna do)
But you up and disappeared (say'n what I wanna say)
Right into thi-i-in air (do'in what I wanna do)
Put sugar on my knee (say'n what I wanna say)
And bugs around my feet (do'in what I wanna do)
Got them police on the beat (say'n what I wanna say)
Tryin' to keep a'you off the street (do'in what I wanna
do)

You swore you'd be home, yesterday (you can look but
you can't find)
You swore you'd be home - yesterday, oh, baby (you
can look but you can't find, wooh!)
You nailed me to the floor

You can scrape me off the door
I forgot more than you know
Ain't gon' put up with all that stuff no more

(solo outro-w/ occasional "you swore you'd be home,
yesterday," etc.)

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