

## Blake Shelton

### "Playboys of the south western world"

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This is a song  
About best friends.

John Roy  
Was a boy I knew  
Since he was three  
And I was two  
Grew up two little houses  
Down from me.

The only two bad apples  
On our family tree  
Kind of ripened and rotted  
In our puberty  
Two kindred spirits bound by destiny.

Well now, I was smart  
But I lacked ambition  
Johnny was wild  
With no inhibition  
Was about like mixin'  
Fire and gasoline.  
(And he'd say.)

Hey, Romeo  
Let's go down to Mexico  
Chase señoritas  
Drink ourselves silly  
Show them Mexican girls  
A couple of real hillbillies.

Got a pocket full of cash  
And that old Ford truck  
A fuzzy cat hangin'  
From the mirror for luck  
Said, don't you know  
All those little  
Brown-eyed girls  
Want playboys of the southwestern world.

--- Instrumental with lala la a ---

Long around  
Our eighteenth year  
We found two airplane tickets  
The hell out of here  
Got scholarships  
To some small town  
School in Texas.

Learned to drink Sangria  
'Til the dawns early light  
Eat eggs Ranchero  
And throw up all night  
And tell those daddy's girls  
We were majoring in a rodeo.

Ah, but my  
Favorite memory  
At school that fall  
Was the night John Roy  
Came runnin' down the hall  
Wearin nothin'  
But cowboy boots  
And a big sombrero.  
(And he was yellin',)

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And I said  
We had a little  
Change in plans  
Like when Paul McCartney  
Got busted in Japan  
And I said  
We got waylaid  
When we laid foot  
On Mexican soil

See the boarder guard  
With the Fu Manchu mustache  
Kind of stumbled on John's  
Pocket full of American cash.  
(He said.)  
Doin' a little funny business  
In Mexico, Amigo.

But all I could think about  
Was savin' my own tail  
When he mentioned ten years  
In a Mexican jail  
So I pointed to John Roy and said  
It's all his now please let me go  
Well, it was your idea genius  
I was just layin' there in bed.  
(When you said,)

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Ah, we're still best friends  
Temporary cell-mates...

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