

Elvis Costello "Beaten To The Punch"

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You say that you'll get him and you run and get your
mummy

And you're almost beaten to the punch

Looking for the man who sold you the dummy

And you're almost beaten to the punch

Laughing at the older guys, who say it's just as well?

Saved by the wedding bell, almost beaten to the punch

You're looking for somebody that you can knock about

You were almost beaten to the punch

If you've got a head for figures then you better count
me out

You were almost beaten to the punch

You pull the piece but you soon call it love

You go ahead and end up, almost beaten to the punch

Your body speaks so much louder than your voice

You let it do the talking so I don't have any choice

And now you find that younger guys are putting up
resistance

And you're almost beaten to the punch

You'd better get out now because you'll never go the
distance

And you're almost beaten to the punch

And you'll find a girl and you'll promise her anything

Even a wedding ring, almost beaten to the punch

Almost beaten to the punch, almost beaten to the
punch

Almost beaten to the punch, almost beaten to the
punch

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