## Elvis Presley "Guitar Man"

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Well

I quit my job down at the car wash

I left my mama a goodbye note. By sundown I'd left Kingston With my guitar under my coat. I hitch-hiked all the way down to Memphis

Got a room at the Y.M.C.A.

For the next three weeks I went a haunting them night clubs

Looking for a place to play.

Well

I thought my picking would set 'em on fire But nobody wanted to hire a guitar man.

Well

I nearly 'bout starved to death down in Memphis

I run out of money and luck.

So

I bummed me a ride down to Macon

Georgia

On a overloaded poultry truck.

I Thumbed on down to Panama City

Started pickin' out some of the all night bars

Hopin' I can make myself a dollar

Makin' music on my guitar.

Got the same old story at them all night piers

There ain't no room around here for a guitar man.

We don't need a guitar man

son.

So

I slept in the hobo jungles

I bummed a thousand miles of track

'til I found myself in Mobile

Alabama

In a club they call "Big Jack's".

A little four piece band was jamming

So

I took my guitar and I sat in.

I showed 'em what a band would sound like

With a swingin' little guitar man.

Show 'em

son.

If you ever take a trip down to the ocean Find yourself down around Mobile.

Well

make it on out to the club called Jack's
If you got a little time to kill.
Just follow that crowd of people

You'll wind up out on his dance floor

Diggin' the finest little five piece group Up and down the Gulf of Mexico. And guess who's leading that five piece band

Why wouldn't you know It's that swinging little guitar man.

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