

## **Emmylou Harris**

### **"Guitar Town"**

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Hey sweet daddy, are you ready for me  
It's your good rockin' mama down from Tennessee  
Well I'm just outta Austin bound for San Antone  
With the radio blastin' and the bird dog on

There's a speed trap up ahead south of town  
But no local yokel's gonna shut me down  
'Cause me and my boys got this rig unwound  
And we've come a thousand miles from the guitar town

Well nothin' ever happened round my home town  
And I ain't the kind to just hang around  
But I heard someone callin' my name one day  
And I followed that voice down the lost highway

Well everybody told me you can't get far  
On 37 dollars and a Jap guitar  
Now I'm smokin' into Texas with the hammer down

And a rockin' little combo from the guitar town

Hey pretty baby, don't you know it ain't my fault  
Love to hear the steel belts hummin' on the asphalt  
Wake up in the middle of the night in a truck stop  
Stumble in the restaurant, wonderin' why I don't stop

Well, I gotta keep rockin' while I still can  
Got a two-pack habit and a motel tan  
When my boots hit the boards it's a brand new hand  
And my back to the risers and make my stand

Hey pretty baby, won't you hold me tight  
I'm loadin' up and rollin' out of here tonight  
But one of these days I'm gonna settle down  
And I'll take you back with me to the guitar town

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