

## Frankie Laine

### "Tell Me A Story"

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[Junior:]

Tell me story, tell me story  
Tell me story, remember what you said  
You promised me you said you would  
You got to give in so I'll be good  
Tell me a story, then I'll go to bed

[Father:]

Oh, worry, worry, weary ends my day  
Time to go home without my raise in pay  
Home by the fire where a man can just relax  
Sippers there by the chair, not a worry, not a care  
Along comes Junior swinging his little axe

[Junior:]

Tell me a story, tell me a story  
Tell me a story, remember what you said  
Tell me about the birds and bees  
How do you make a chicken sneeze  
Tell me a story, then I'll go to bed

[Father:]

Came home so late one evening last July  
Played a little poker the time had passed me by  
Shoes in my hand and my darlin' wife in bed  
Up the stairs sayin' a prayer  
Then a voice comes through the air ....

[Junior:]

Hi you there, Daddy  
Remember what you said

Tell me a story, tell me a story  
Tell me a story, remember what you said  
Tell me how your eye got black  
Because the doorway hit you back  
Tell me a story, then I'll go to bed

[Father:]

Once upon a time I remember long ago

[Junior:]  
Don't go back in history  
Your memory's kinda slow

[Father:]  
Stop your noisy talkin'  
Until I finish with my tale  
Once upon a...

[Junior:]  
Upon a what...

[Father:]  
Upon your back you'll get a swat

[Junior:]  
Tell me about the fish you caught  
That's was bigger than a whale

[Junior:]  
Tell me a story, tell me a story  
Tell me a story, remember what you said  
You promised me, you said you would  
You gotta give in so I'll be good

[Father:]  
Here's a tale you'll never forget  
(Tap, tap, tap)

[Junior:]  
Ouch  
My tails all red

[Father:]  
And now get up to bed

[Junior:]  
Ha, ha come on Daddy  
Tell me a story  
Hee, hee

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