

## Gene Vincent "Story Of The Rockers"

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It started out with Haley's Comets  
A-rockin' round the clock  
Well, then along came Presley  
With some hillbilly rock now

Mix it in with Carl Perkins  
Chuck Berry when he's workin'  
And Little Richard out of Macon  
Inspired Jerry Lee to shakin'

Slow down the tempo with the Fat Man  
Bring back the rhythm with Bo's band  
Don and Phil and Eddie Cochran  
And Buddy Holly kept a-rockin'

And that's the story of the rockers  
Yeah, who kept on dancin'  
Everybody was movin'  
And it looked so fine

Yeah, you could feel the emotion  
As you looked around  
Sock it to me, rockers  
Roll it down the line

Jump back down to Philly  
For a daily Bandstand Rock  
At The Hop with Danny's Juniors  
The Stroll was very hot, now

Rydell, Cannon and Dion sang  
While Eddy's Rebels twanged on  
Well, soon the world a-started twistin'  
With the Checker dance

The Four Seasons sang Sherry  
While Barry Gordy shopped the Champs  
Ike and Tina and a-Uncle Ray  
Along with Shannon's Runaway

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Who kept us dancin'

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The West Coast started surfin'  
With the Beach Boy band  
Jan and Dean and the Surfariis  
Spread the songs throughout the land

And soon the Beatles from a-Liverpool  
Electrified, began to rule  
Roll out the Stones with Satisfaction  
Mix in a bit of blues reaction

Byrds and Spoonful got in motion  
With their lit up good time notion  
Otis Redding and Revue  
Young Rascals attitude

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Hear me now  
Chuck Willis, Lord Old Sam Cooke  
Sock it to me, yeah  
Buddy Knox, Jimmy Bowen, Lloyd Price

Hey don't touch that dial, I ain't through  
I forgot somebody  
Bobby Darin, Larry Williams, The Blue Caps  
Here we go

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