

## **Carpenter Mary-Chapin "I Feel Lucky"**

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Well I woke up this morning, stumbled out of my rack  
I opened up the paper to the page in the back  
It only took a minute for my finger to find  
My daily dose of destiny under my sign  
My eyes just about popped out of my head  
It said the stars are stacked against you, girl  
Get back in bed  
I feel lucky, I feel lucky  
No Professor Doom's gonna stand in my way  
Mmmm I feel lucky today  
Well I strolled down to the corner, gave my numbers to  
the clerk  
The pot's 11 million so I called in sick to work  
I bought a pack of Camels, a burrito, and a Barq's  
Crossed against the light, made a beeline for the park  
The sky began to thunder, the wind began to moan  
I heard a voice above me saying, Girl you'd better get  
back home  
But I feel lucky, I feel lucky  
No tropical depression's gonna steal my sun away  
Mmmm I feel lucky today  
Well, 11 million later I was sitting at the bar  
I'd bought the house a double and the waitress a new  
car  
Dwight Yoakam's in the corner trying to catch my eye  
[\*]  
Lyle Lovett's right beside me with his hand upon my  
thigh [\*\*]  
The moral of the story is simple but it's true  
Hey the stars might lie, but the numbers never do  
I feel lucky, I feel lucky, yeah  
Hey Dwight, hey Lyle, boys, you don't have to fight  
[\*\*\*]  
Hot dog, I feel lucky tonight  
I feel lucky, I feel lucky  
Think I'll flip a coin, I'm a winner either way  
Mmmm I feel lucky today  
(alternative last lines:  
\* Lyle Lovett's right beside me with his hand upon my  
thigh  
\*\* Julia Roberts's right behind me saying, "Girl, don't  
even try"

\*\*\* Julia may have Lyle, but I've still got Dwight)

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