

## Marty Stuart

# "Me & Hank & Jumpin' Jack Flash"

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[Incomprehensible]

Last night, I dreamed I went to Hillbilly Heaven  
Oh, what a beautiful sight  
St. Peter come up to me and he said  
"Marty, who do you want to see?", so I began to think

I said, "Why don't you call up old Hank Williams and  
see if he's free?"  
'Cause Hank saw the world from a Cadillac  
And he carried them 'Lovesick Blues' right on his back,  
oh yeah

Sure as I was dreaming, sure as I was born  
Around my neck came this long, skinny arm  
And he said, "Howdy, Hoss, my name is Hank  
Now what brings you here?", so I began to think

I said "Hank, brother, you've seen it all  
You've seen 'em come and go, you've seen 'em rise  
and fall  
And right now, country music's got more singers  
Than I believe I've ever seen"

"So many people got to follow out their dream  
But I feel different", I said, "'Cause I'm a natural born  
cat  
I'm country to the bone, but I don't wear no hat"

Oh, no, two three

Said, "I started with Lester back in '72  
All I want to be was a little different like him and you"  
He said, "Whoa, now, it just takes a little longer to  
make it  
If you're different, I guess  
But you just sing what's in your heart and God's gonna  
do the rest

Just be what you are at all times  
And just tell the folks out there the truth  
And that ain't gonna cost you a dime

But now, if you plan to be different, son, you're just  
rolling the dice  
And you know you ain't the first one to pay that price

'Cause there was me and Elvis and there was Bocephus  
too  
There was Waylon and Willie and there was Bill Monroe  
And I guess you know all about ol' Johnny Cash  
And I think what the world needs right now is a Jumpin'  
Jack Flash"

Up in Hillbilly Heaven, I saw Keith Whitley, I saw Patsy  
Cline  
I saw Reba McEntire's band, they were all friends of  
mine  
And I began to tremble and I began look  
I knew I was dreaming, but I just couldn't wake up

Then out of nowhere, came this long Cadillac  
The driver said, "Come on now, Hank we gotta take you  
back  
Thirty minutes before your next show  
We're running behind so we gotta go"

He said, "Marty, I tell you what you do  
You just go on back down there and you make us proud  
And remember, wherever you go  
There's a little Hillbilly in every crowd"

And he got in that old car and he drove off slow  
But right here, is what he said before he shut that door

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