

## **Richard & Linda Thompson**

### **"Hokey Pokey"**

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Every boy running and the little girl  
At the money took up in their hand  
Over the wall and down into the street  
Give your money to the hollerin' man  
Give your money to the hollerin' man

Every boy runs for Hokey Pokey  
Hear him ringing on the ice-cream bell  
He's got the stuff that'll cool you right down  
It's the best that they ever did sell  
It's the best that they ever did sell

Girl on the corner with the tight dress on  
You know she don't know nothing so fine  
Feels so good when you put it in your mouth  
Sends a shiver all down your spine  
Sends a shiver all down your spine

"Cat got your tongue?" says Frankie to Annie  
"Girl, you haven't said a word all night"  
Well, Annie she smiled and she took another bite  
Hokey Pokey made her feel alright, alright  
Hokey Pokey made her feel alright

Well, some like it round and some like it flat  
And some like a poke or two  
But everybody runs for Hokey Pokey  
It's the natural thing to do  
It's the natural thing to do

Down in the prison, number nine lying down  
Been working like a bee in a hive  
He's still dreaming of Hokey Pokey  
Helps to keep that boy alive  
Helps to keep that boy alive

Watchman he says to choirboy Rocky  
"Don't you sing to the boys in blue?"  
Oh, you won't get no more Hokey Pokey  
By the time we're through with you  
By the time we're through with you"

Fellows in the alley all look like girls  
With their lipstick and their high-heeled shoes  
Feel so pretty and the boys all say  
That they know just what to do  
That they know just what to do

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