

## **Sonny & Cher**

### **"Dark Lady"**

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The fortune queen of New Orleans  
Brushing her cat in her black limousine  
On the back seat were scratches  
From the marks of men her fortune she had won  
Couldn't see through the tinted glass  
She said, "Home James" and he hit the gas  
I followed her to some darkened room  
She took my money, she said, "I'll be with you soon"

Dark lady laughed and danced  
And lit the candles one by one  
Danced to her gypsy music  
Till her brew was done  
Dark lady played black magic  
Till the clock struck on the twelve  
She told me more about me  
Than I knew myself

She dealt two cards, a queen and a three  
And mumbled some words that were so strange to me  
And then she turned up a two-eyed Jack  
My eyes saw red but the card still she said, "Black"  
She said, "The man you love is secretly true  
To someone else who is very close to you"  
My advice is that you leave this place  
Never come back and forget you ever saw my face

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So I ran home and crawled in my bed  
I couldn't sleep because of all the things she said  
Then I remembered her strange perfume  
And how I smelled it once in my own room  
So I sneaked back and caught her with my man  
Laughin' and kissin' till they saw the gun in my hand

The next thing I knew they were dead on the floor  
Dark lady would never turn a card up anymore

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