

## Taj Mahal

### "She Caught The Katy"

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She caught the Katy<sup>1</sup>, and left me a mule<sup>2</sup> to ride  
She caught the Katy, and left me a mule to ride  
My baby caught the Katy, left me a mule to ride  
The train pulled out, and I swung on behind  
I'm crazy 'bout her, that hardheaded woman of mine

Man my baby's long, great god she's mighty, she's tall  
You know my baby's long, great god she's mighty, my  
baby she's tall  
Well my baby she's long, my baby she's tall  
She sleeps with her head in the kitchen and her big feet  
out in the hall  
And I'm still crazy 'bout her, that hardheaded woman  
of mine

Well I love my baby, she's so fine  
I wish she'd come and see me some time  
If you don't believe I love her, look what a hole I'm in  
If you don't believe I'm sinking, look what a shape I'm in

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Well my baby caught the Katy, left me a mule to ride  
The train pulled out, and I swung on behind  
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Note 1: Katy, or KT, which stands for Kansan and Texas Railroad (K&T);

Note 2: mule, refers to a slower moving, local train.  
Actual meaning of mule: a hybrid between a horse and a donkey, in particular the offspring of a male donkey and a mare. In this case it's metaphor for a slow transport.

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