

# There Was A Time

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One, two, three, four

There was a time  
When I used to dance  
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When I used to prance

Dig me now, baby, ha  
Don't worry bout later, ha  
Here's a dance I used to do  
They call the mash potato, oh

Lookie here  
There was a dance  
They call the jerk  
Everybody relax  
And watch me work

All right, lookie here

In my home town  
Up here with the boys  
The name of the place  
Is Chicago, Illinois

Up there, we have a good time  
We don't talk, ha  
Instead we all get together  
Any type of weather  
Then we do the camel walk, wow

All right, lookie here

Now there was a dance  
That I used to do now  
The name of the dance  
They call the boogaloo, ha

I may not do the dance  
As well as you, ha  
But you can bet your bottom dollar  
You'll never hear me holler  
I'll do the best that I can do, wow

All right, lookie here

There was a time  
Sometimes I danced  
Sometimes I danced  
Baby, sometimes I danced  
Baby, baby, baby, yeah

They call me the woman handler  
They call me the woman handler  
But you can bet you  
Haven't seen nothing yet  
Until you've seen me do

The Gene Chandler, wow