

# Memphis Beat

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Down the Mississippi where the water gets muddy  
Forty-four school where the kids don't study  
Well, they all hang around at the root of Beale Street  
Oh, that's where they hear that Memphis Beat

I'm goin' to Memphis where the beat is tough  
Memphis, I can't get enough  
It makes you tremble and it makes you weak  
Gets in your blood, that Memphis Beat

Whoa, they're hitchhikin' here from California ride  
On a Honda from Arizona  
Houston, Boston, Kansas City, New Orleans and a doo wa diddy  
Oh, I'm goin' to Memphis

Well, people come a ridin', a walkin', a swimmin'  
Got a little chance at them good lookin' women  
Oh, they march on down to the foot of Beale Street  
Ah, then dance all night to that Memphis Beat

Oh, I'm goin' to Memphis  
Oh, come on now let's go to Memphis  
Where the beat is tough, I can't get enough  
I gotta get back there, I gotta get back there