

## Me & Billy The Kid

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Me and Billy the Kid never got along  
I didn't like the way he cocked his hat  
And he wore his gun all wrong.  
We had the same girlfriend  
And he never forgot it  
She had a cute little Chihuahua  
Until one day he up and shot it  
He rode the hard country down the New Mexico line  
He had a silver pocketwatch that he never did wind.  
He crippled the piano player  
For playin' his favorite song  
No, Me and Billy the Kid never got along

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I didn't like the way he parted his hair  
And he wore his gun all wrong  
He was bad to the bone  
All hopped up on speed.  
I would've left him alone  
If it wasn't for that Senorita  
He gave her silver and he paid her hotel bill  
But it was me she loved and she said she always will.  
I'd always go and see her  
When Billy was gone  
Yeah, Me and Billy the Kid never got along

Me and Billy the Kid never got along  
I didn't like the way he tied his shoes  
And he wore his gun all wrong  
One day I said to Billy  
"I've got this foolproof scheme"  
We'll rob Wells Fargo  
"It's bustin at the seams."  
I admit that I framed him but I don't feel bad  
Cause the way I was livin' was drivin' me mad  
Billy reached for his gun  
But his gun was on wrong  
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But I did like the way he swayed in the wind  
While I played him his favorite song  
Now my baby sings harmony with me  
To "La Cucaracha"  
She winds her silver pocket watch  
And pets her new Chihuahua  
I moved in to the Hotel and got a room with a shower  
We lay and listen to that watch tick hour after hour  
Outside I hear the wind  
Blowin' o so strong  
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