

# The Breakdown Part 1

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Honey, baby, I been told  
You know how, shake the butter bowl  
I got to see for myself  
If you got any butter left

Breakdown to the left  
Breakdown to the right  
Breakdown to the one  
Gonna love her tonight

Do the breakdown, children  
Break on down  
Do the breakdown, children  
Break on down

You got it going, my, my, my  
Just look around and grab your guy  
Stop where you are, let your big hip rock  
Show him how your love can rock

Breakdown for me  
Breakdown for you  
Breakdown to the one  
Gonna give it to

Do the breakdown, children  
Break on down  
Do the breakdown, children  
Break on down, [Incomprehensible]

Come on children, look at me  
I'm showing you how it's supposed to be  
Do it in the evening, late at night  
I'm gonna show you, breakdown is alright

Do the breakdown, children  
Break on down  
Do the breakdown, children  
Break on down

Listen, it's the brand new dance that's going around  
It ain't the 'Funky Chicken', it's called 'The Breakdown'  
It's the brand new dance that's going around  
It ain't push and pull, it's called 'The Breakdown'

Now breakdown, children  
Break on down  
Breakdown, children  
Break on down

Mama can do it, Papa too  
Grandma, Grandpa, they're doing it too  
Mama, Mama, just look at Sis  
She's in the backyard breaking down like this

Breakdown, children  
Break on down

Breakdown, children  
Break on down  
Breakdown, children