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# DON'T CRY FOR LOUIE

I gave up all my friends
My girls from out of town
Bought her what she wanted
Yet she let me down
When she saw me crying
She said I had no heart
When my heart was bleeding
She turned around and laughed

Girls don't cry for Louie Louie wouldn't cry for you When you walk the streets for Louie You better do what Louie tells you to

I met Louie on a hazy morning When the bars were closing down He said honey I really like your prancing You and I we'll burn this town

This woman, sir, mislead me Hurt me in my pride Who are you to judge me? Who are you to take her side? She cheated on me mister Told me nothing but lies I just had to teach her Not to overstep the line

Girls don't cry over Louie He wouldn't waste a tear on you When you walk the streets for Louie You ain't walking down no avenue

I met Louie on a hazy morning In a sleazy part of town I was tipsy and feeling kind'a lonely Louie offered me his arm He said: you and I we'll burn this town He said: you and I we'll burn this town

Lyrics: Dani Klein/Dirk Schoufs Music: Dani Klein/Dirk Schoufs Arrangements: Dirk Schoufs

#### **THE MOONSHINER**

No dimes in your pocket No bills in your wallet No cash in the bank Ain't no good at all

Honey you're not wise
You don't realise
People talk you know
Guess what I've been told
When you come home late
That beat look on your face
Don't tell me it's because
You're working night and day
I'm not blind
I got eyes you see

You're a mean moonshiner

You've been seen down at Joe's Spending all of my dough Splashing bourbon and rye

Playing randy and dandy the games stakes are high

Honey you're a lie
Just a no good guy
Phoney Romeo
In a late late show
When I took you home
To mama she said
This guy looks like
He's got a hole in his head
Lord protect us from evil she cried
He's a mean moonshiner

Honey don't you grieve
When I take my leave
I ain't gonna cry
For my last goodbye
I'm gonna take that door
Don't care what you say
You never did say much anyway
I care no longer
For the company
Of a mean moonshiner

Lyrics: Dani Klein/Una Balfe Music: Dirk Schoufs

Arrangements: Dirk Schoufs/J.M. Gielen

#### **LORD HELP ME PLEASE**

This woman she knows
The story of heartbreak
Beneath the weight of the day
She's seen the hate
On people's faces
Dark skin her only disgrace

She cries help me please Lord help me please

Her children she taught them How to be proud in the face Of adversity She gave them the love respect and understanding Showing them The way to be free

Lord help her please Lord help her please Lord, please

She stands tall
High as a mountain
Her heart as deep as the sea
She's known hardship and sorrow
That brought her down on her knees

Lord help her please Lord help her please Lord help her please Lord please

Lyrics: Dani Klein/Una Balfe Music: Frank Wuvts

Arrangements: Dirk Schoufs/Jean-Michel Gielen

# **LAY YOUR HANDS** (Off My Man)

Lay your hands Off my man You don't even want him You just want What I have

Lay your hands Off my man You don't even want him You just wanna Take my place

A pretty girl floating in a room Wrapped in her innocence and her cheap perfume Fluttering around men like a moth around the light Think she won't burn herself, well I just think she might A little girl not a woman yet Spiteful little eyes that say watch out I'm a threat

Lay your hands
Off my man
You don't even want him
You just want
What I have

Lay your hands
Off my man
Don't you, don't you
Don't you girl, don't you dare

You call me sweetie and other charming names Yet you give him the eye while I'm standing next to him Don't like your ways besides I got my pride Would you mind girl stepping aside Oh! no you don't understand you're acting amazed Don't take me for a fool girl fade away

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# **LULU'S SONG**

Chains that she wears like a crown
For to slaverybound
From the day they have met
Chains that she's dragging around
Never making a sound
From the day she said "yes"
Chains, to keep her tied to the ground
While he is slipping away

Queen in a glorified cage
With only silence to page
The lonely night long
Wait for the footsteps to fall
For his voice in the hall
Calling her name again
Pray for all that sweetness long gone
When all that's left is the pain

Shame that she's keeping inside
Hiding misery behind
Fancy curtains of lace
Vain, she is hoping in vain
He would kindle the flame
That once burned in his eyes
Rain that beats like time on the pane
When every second's the same
Rain that beats like time on the pane
When every second's the same
Woman, don't bury that heart of gold
Behind a cold face of stone

Lyrics: Dani Klein/Una Balfe Music: Dirk Schoufs Arrangements: Dirk Schoufs

#### JUST A FRIEND OF MINE

He said baby, what's your name
Are you new in this town?
Since you walked in
things don't look the same
How about sticking around?
the place was dark
and the band played loud
His voice sounded kind of dry
He said: who's that guy
with the funny smile?
She said:
He's just a friend of mine (x3)

They talk a little, drank a lot
As the evening went by
The place got crowded and the air too hot
He said: who's that guy following us about
She said:
He's just a friend of mine (x3)

He was nice and gentle,

still rough enough
To keep her satisfied
She said: hold it baby
it gets too much
I feel like I'm gonna die

He took her home in the early mornin`
She said: please do come inside

He said who's that guy in the dressing gown?

She said:

He's just a friend of mine (x3)

He said who's that guy in the dressing gown? She said baby don't you mind He's just a friend, just a friend, He's just a friend of mine

Lyrics: Dani Klein

Music: Dirk Schoufs/Willy Lambregt

#### **SOLD MY SOUL**

I sold my soul to the devil
The first time you kissed me
I mistook hell for heaven
The first time I let you touch me
Now I'm just a little toy in your hands
Like many before me
Feels like I'm walking on a rope of sand
Somebody save me

I even cancel all my secret rendez-vous
To sit alone by the phone
Waiting to hear from you
My friends don't call me no more
Say I'm no fun
Ignore me when I'm round
Talk about me when I'm gone
I don't know what's gonna happen
To my poor soul, Lord help me
Mama, your little girl is crying
Night and day, do something for me
If you can

Lyrics: Dani Klein/Dirk Schoufs Music: Dani Klein/Dirk Schoufs Arrangements: Dirk Schoufs/Jean-Michel Gielen

# ONE SILVER DOLLAR

One silver dollar Bright silver dollar Changing hands Changing hands

Endlessly rolling Wasted or stolen Changing hands Changing hands

Spent for a beer his trinket Won by a gambler's lust Pierced by an outlaw's bullet And found in the blood red dust

One silver dollar One silver dollar Changing hands Changing hands Love is a shining dollar Bright as a churchbell's chime Gambled and spent and wasted And lost in a dust of time

One silver dollar One silver dollar Changing hearts Changing lives Changing hands

Lyrics: L. Newman Music: K. Darby Arrangements: Dirk Schoufs

# **PHILADELPHIA**

Raindrops falling softly
As I walk on down the road
Neon lights flicker
Reflecting on my leather coat
A black guy passes me by
He's looking kinda high
When I'm reaching for a smile
I see that strange look in his eye

Here I am in Philadelphia And I'm walking in the rain You're out there in Compton, baby Do you still remember my name?

I couldn't hear what he said
But I suddenly realised
Thousand thoughts go through my head
While his steps they follow mine
A woman must be crazy
To be out this time of night
Unless she's looking for some business
Unless she's feeling real uptight

Here I am in Philadelphia And I'm walking in the rain (x2) You're out there in Compton, baby Do you still remember my name?

Here I'm standing at the station
Waiting for my train to come
When that dude gave me a look
Made me wonder what I'd done
A woman must be crazy
To be out this time of night
Unless she's looking for some trouble
Unless she's out of her mind

Here I am in Philadelphia And I'm walking in the rain (x2) You're out there in Compton, baby Do you still remember my name?

Do you baby? Do you remember? Do you baby? Do you remember? Remember my name?

Lyrics: Dani Klein Music: Dirk Schoufs/A. Lettecheur Arrangements: Dirk Schoufs/Jean-Michel Gielen

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# **REMEMBER**

Remember, a gypsy never gets lonely Remember, a gypsy never gets lonely

He spends his nights doing what They pay him well to do He don't talk too much Won't waste no words on you He's the meanest cowboy in this town

And there ain't no Susy round To nail him down

In some back room
He lays his cards on the table
Whatever job he does
They know he is able

He's a roving rogue
Moving from place to place
You don't stand a chance
To see a smile upon his face
He wouldn't give no one
The time of day
When his job is done
Just collects his pay

Whenever you might Meet up with this stranger Better move along His name spells danger

Lyrics: Dani Klein/Una Balfe Music: Dirk Schoufs/Willy Lambregts Arrangements: Dirk Schoufs

# **PUERTO RICO**

Wake up Angelita,
Your mama just turned off the light
Manolo is already waiting
By the old water pipe
Her shoes in one hand
She carefully walks down the stairs
Holding her breathe
'Cause there's danger and love in the air

Aiie aiie aiie aiie aiie Puerto Rico Aiie aiie aiie aiie aiie Puerto Rico

Your Papa will beat him
If he ever finds out
Begging the Virgin won't help
When you hear Manolito shout,
Manolito shout
He's already standing
Under the starlit sky
You run to his arms and you laugh
And you cry as he holds you tight

Aiie aiie aiie aiie aiie Puerto Rico Aiie aiie aiie aiie aiie Puerto Rico

He says he'll be leaving you soon Still you beg him to stay But he wants to make it Somewhere in the U.S.A. And though he'll be far He promises he'll write every day When time will be right, He'll come back and he'll take you away

Aile aile aile aile aile Puerto Rico Aile aile aile aile aile Puerto Rico

Your papa don't like him
He says he's no good
He steals and he fights and he never
behaves
Like a young man should
Angelita she knows,
He's not that bad inside
She takes the medal,
She wears on a chain,
And presses it into his palm

Aiie aiie aiie aiie aiie Puerto Rico Aiie aiie aiie aiie aiie Puerto Rico

Lyrics: Dani Klein/Dirk Schoufs Music: Dani Klein/Dirk Schoufs

# JOHNNY, TU N'ES PAS UN ANGE

Johnny, tu n'es pas un ange Ne crois pas que ca me dérange Jour et nuit je pense à toi Toi tu te souviens de moi Au moment où ca t'arrange Et quand revient le matin Tu t'endors sur mon chagrin Johnny, tu n'es pas un ange

Johnny, Johnny Si tu étais plus galant Johnny, Johnny Je t'aimerais tout autant

Johnny, tu n'es pas un ange Ne crois pas que ca me dérange Quand tu me réveilles la nuit C'est pour dire que tu t'ennuies Et quand revient le matin Tu t'endors sur mon chagrin Johnny, tu n'es pas un ange

Johnny, Johnny Si tu étais plus galant Johnny, Johnny Je t'aimerais tout autant

Johnny, tu n'es pas un ange Après tout qu'est-ce que ca change L'Homme saura toujours trouver Toutes les femmes du monde entier Pour lui chanter ses louanges Dés qu'il en sera lassé Elles seront vite oubliées Vraiment vous n'etes pas des anges

Johnny, Johnny Depuis que le monde est né Johnny, Johnny Il faut tous vous pardonner

Lyrics: F. Lemarque
Music: Les Paul
Arrangements: Dirk Schoufs

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