he a'hit the dance around about midnight gin and juice and he's a'feelin fine a'come the morning all the sounds went up police man said the joint was shut all the brothers gettin busted outside undercover officers readin' them their rights one way ticket boy you prison bound the night the lights in dallas went down, so

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I want to know right now
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she shakes the blues off then she tries her luck makes a little bet and hopes her horse comes up pickin' pockets for some easy money cause she blew the goddamn lot on the national lottery steals a paper sh'check the front page headlines made that the dancehall can't be saved how can they open up an opera house on the night the lights in dallas went down, yeah

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tweek freak Tony on the four two eight special branch sting right time wrong place columbian connections in the corridors of power mean the man on the money ain't never goin down Lord Lucky takes his lady to the magic flute little taste or two now he's bullet proof Tony tunes the underground radio on the night the lights in dallas went down, so

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