

# Turned My Head Around

The Charlie Daniels Band

When I was very young my daddy took me on his knee  
"Son, there's some things I wanna learn ya  
Before you get away from me"

"Don't let nobody boss you much  
And keep your money clean  
Treat a woman like a lady  
And your lady like a queen"

But I didn't know what he was talking about  
I didn't know what he was trying to say  
'Til I got out in this mean old world  
And you can turn my head around the other way

When I was eighteen a lady picked me up  
From off of the street  
She put a new suit on my back  
And new boots on my feet

I said, "Thank you, kind lady.  
What do you want in return?"  
She said, "Young man, put yourself in my hands  
And you're damn sure gonna learn"

But I didn't know what she was talking about  
I didn't know what she was trying to say  
'Til she took me in the back room  
And she turned my head around the other way

Right along about this time  
The story is rather sad  
It was about the time that I turned 21  
I thought that I was bad

Then I cussed out this old man  
Down here in the beer joint late one night  
He said, "Son, if you wanna talk you talk  
But if you wanna fight, let's fight"

But I didn't know what he was talking about  
I didn't know what he was trying to say  
'Til he took me out in the parking lot  
And he turned my head around the other way

'Til he took me out in the parking lot  
He turned my head around the other way