

## Ticket Agent Blues

Blind Willie McTell

Good Lord good Lord : send me an angel down  
Can't spare you no angel : will spare you a teasing  
brown

That new way of loving : swear to God it must be best  
Because these Georgia women : won't let Willie McTell  
rest

There was a crowd down on the corner : and I wondered  
who could it be  
Weren't a thing : but the women boy trying to get to me

I went down to the shed : put my suitcase in my hand  
Crowd of women run crying : that McTell be my man

Ticket agent ticket agent : which a way has my woman  
gone  
Say describe your woman : and I'll tell you what road  
she's on

She's a long tall mama : five and a half from the  
ground  
She's a tailor-made mama : and she ain't no hand-me-down

Mama if you ride the Southern : I'll ride the Santa Fe  
When you get in Memphis : pretty mama look around for  
me

You can't never tell : what a double-crossing woman  
will do  
They'll tip out with your buddy : and come home play  
sick on you

I got two women : you can't tell them apart  
I got one in my bosom : the other one's in my heart

Now the one in my bosom : she's in Tennessee  
And the one in my heart : don't even give a darn for me

I used to say a married woman : was the sweetest woman  
ever was born  
I changed that thing : you better let married women  
alone

Take my advice : let all married womens be  
Because their husbands will grab you : and beat you  
ragged with a cedar tree

Now love ain't nothing : single women loving married  
men  
It will do for a while : but it will jam you after a  
end

When a woman says she loves you : about as good as she  
do herself  
Don't pay her no attention : tell the same lie to  
somebody else

She'll tell you that she love you : and love you all  
her life  
She'll have a man on the corner : and tell that same  
lie twice

My baby she got a mojo : I believe she trying to keep  
it hid  
Mctell got something : to find that mojo with

I want to tell you pretty mama : exactly who I am  
When I walk out the front door : I hear that back door  
slam