

## Axman

Robbie Robertson

They say the Axman's coming  
In a long, black car  
They said the Axman's coming  
He plays a mean guitar

Well, he slipped across the border  
With a hatchet in his hand  
They said who's that stranger?  
The one they call the Axman

You got Duane and Stevie Ray  
All brothers of the blade  
Jimi James and RJ  
All brothers of the blade

Now when he goes from town to town  
He picks 'em up and lays 'em down  
People come from miles around  
Just to dig that crazy sound

I heard a guitar wailing  
Until the break of dawn  
You know the Axman was here  
Oh, but now he's gone

You got T Bone and Link Wray  
All brothers of the blade  
Then there's Django and Elmore James  
All brothers of the blade

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He picks 'em up and lays 'em down  
People come from miles around  
Just to dig that crazy sound

Play so low, so sweet  
Bring a tear to your eye  
Chills run down to your feet  
Make a grown man cry

One-eyed jacks, King with the axe  
Like Albert or Freddy  
One-eyed jacks, King with the axe  
And of course BB was born ready

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He picks 'em up and lays 'em down  
People comin' from miles around  
Just to dig that crazy sound