While you're running around bawlin
Or playin at clubs every night
You oughta be home with the one who loves you
You know the gal who treats you right

Tell me boys
I want you to tell me
Yes yes yes

Whatcha gonna do when your baby leaves you Whatcha gonna do Whatcha gonna do when your baby leaves you Whatcha gonna do When she says her last goodbye I bet you wanna sit right down and cry Whatcha gonna do When your baby leaves Whatcha gonna do

You come home early in the morning You think everybody is asleep She's been sitting there with her eyes wide open And tears are running down her cheeks

Now tell me boys
I want you to tell me
Yes yes yes
Alright

You know my mother she done told me
Late on one Saturday night
She said you oughta be home with the one who loves you
You know the gal who treats you right

Now she said now listen son
You know I'm your mother
You know I wouldn't tell you nothin wrong
But I want you
Yes I want you to tell me
Ooh

Whatcha gonna do when your baby leaves you Whatcha gonna do Whatcha gonna do when your baby leaves you Whatcha gonna do Now when she says her last goodbye You better get right down on your knees and cry Whatcha gonna do when your baby leaves you Tell me watcha gonna do

Whatcha gonna do Whatcha gonna do