Play that Funky Music - Wild Cherry

(E9)
Once I was a boogie singer
Playin' in a rock and roll band
I never had no problems
Burnin' down the one night stands
And everything around me
Got to start to feelin' so low
And I decided quickly
To disco down and check out the show

Yeah, they were dancin' and singin'
And movin' to the groovin'
And just when it hit me
Somebody turned around and shouted
(G9)
Play that funky music, white boy
Play that funky music right
                                    (Bb)
Play that funky music, white boy (Riff on E)
Lay down that boogie and play
 that funky music till you die

I tried to understand this
I thought they were out of their minds
How could I be so foolish
To not see I was thee one behind
So still I kept on fighting
Losing every step of the way
I said I must go back there
And check to see if things still the same

(Refrain)

Now first it wasn't easy
Changin' rock-and-rollin' minds
And things were getting shaky
I thought I'd have to leave it behind
But now it's so much better
I'm funking out in every way
But I'll never lose that feelin'
Of how I learned my lesson that day