

# **GIMME THREE STEPS**

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**Intro** D D A A

## **Verse 1**

I was cuttin' the rug down at a place called 'The Jug'  
 When in walked a man with a gun in his hand  
 He said, Hey there fellow with the hair coloured yellow  
 'Cuz thatsa my woman there and I'm a man who cares  
 And this might be all for you *(I said excuse me)*

With a girl named Linda Lou  
 He was looking for you know who  
 Watcha tryin' to prove

## **Verse 2**

I was scared and fearing for my life  
 'Cuz he was lean and mean and big and bad, Lord  
 I said, wait a minute mister, I didn't even kiss her  
 And I know you don't owe me but I wish you would let me

Shaking like a leaf on a tree  
 Pointing that gun at me  
 Don't want no trouble with you  
 Ask one favor from you

## **Chorus**

Say won't you gimme three steps, gimme three steps mister  
 Gimme three steps, gimme three steps mister

Gimme three steps toward the door  
 And you'll never see me no more

## **Solo**

## **Verse 3**

Oh, well the crowd cleared away and I began to pray  
 And I'm telling you, son, it ain't no fun  
 Well, he turned and screamed at Linda Lou  
 And you could hear me screaming a mile away

And the water fell on the floor  
 Staring straight down a forty-four  
 And that's the break I was looking for  
 As I was headed out toward the door

## **Chorus**

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 Gimme three steps, gimme three steps mister

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## **Outro**

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*(Fo' Sho')*

