## "Down at the Twist and Shout"

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Saturday night and the moon is out

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I wanna head on over to the Twist and Shout

E7

Find a two-step partner and a Cajun beat

A A7

When it lifts me up I'm gonna find my feet

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Out in the middle of a big dance floor

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When I hear that fiddle wanna beg for more

**E7** 

Gonna dance to a band from a-

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Lou'sian' tonight

E7

Well I never have wandered down to New Orleans

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Never have drifted down a bayou stream

**E7** 

But I heard that music on the radio

And I swore some day I was gonna go

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Down Highway 10 past Lafayette B7

To Baton Rouge and I won't forget F7

To send you a card with my regrets 'Cause I'm never gonna come back

Α

home.

## (CHORUS)

They got a alligator stew and a crawfish pie

A gulf storm blowin' into town tonight

Livin on the delta's quite a show They got hurricane parties every time it blows

And here up north it's a cold cold rain

And there ain't no cure for my blues today

Except when the paper says: Beausoleil is coming into town Baby let's go down

## (CHORUS)

Bring your mama, bring your papa, bring your sister too

They got lots of music and lots of room

When they play you a waltz from 1910

You gonna feel a little bit young again

Well you learned to dance with your rock'n'roll

You learned to swing with a do-si-

But you learn to love at the fais-sodo

When you hear a little Jolie Blond

## (CHORUS)