

I Feel Lucky

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Well I woke up this morning
stumbled out of my rack

I opened up the paper to the page
in the back

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It only took a moment for my
finger to find

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My daily dose of destiny, under my
sign

E7
My eyes just about popped out of
my head

A [stop]
It said "the stars are stacked against
you girl, get back in bed"

[CHORUS]

D A
I feel lucky, I feel lucky, yeah
E7

No Professor Doom gonna stand in
my way

A [stop] A
Mmmmm, I feel lucky today
[instrumental]

Well I strolled down to the corner,
gave my numbers to the clerk
The pot's eleven million so I called
in sick to work
I bought a pack of Camels, a burrito
and a Barq's
Crossed against the light, made a
beeline for the park
The sky began to thunder, wind
began to moan
I heard a voice above me saying,
"girl, you better get back home"

But I feel lucky, oh oh oh, I feel
lucky, yeah
No tropical depression gonna steal
my sun away
Mmmmm, I feel lucky today

Now eleven million later, I was
sitting at the bar

I'd bought the house a double, and
the waitress a new car

Dwight Yoakam's in the corner,
trying to catch my eye

Lyle Lovett's right beside me with his
hand upon my thigh

The moral of this story, it's simple
but it's true

Hey the stars might lie, but the
numbers never do

I feel lucky, oh oh oh, I feel lucky,
yeah

Hey Dwight, hey Lyle, boys, you
don't have to fight
Hot dog, I'm feeling lucky tonight

I feel lucky, brrrrr, I feel lucky, yeah
Think I'll flip a coin, I'm a winner
either way
Mmmmm, I feel lucky today