

Willie and the Hand Jive

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Key of G
99 BPM

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Intro:

G - G

Verse 1:

G

I know a cat named way out Willie

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He's got a cool little chick named Rockin' Millie

C

He can Walk and Stroll and Suzy Q

G

And do that crazy Hand Jive, too

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Papa told Willie you'll ruin my home

G

You and that Hand Jive has got to go

C

Willie, said Papa, don't put me down

G

They're doing that Hand Jive all over town

Chorus:

C

G

D

Hand Jive, Hand Jive, Hand Jive

G

Doing that crazy Hand Jive

Verse 2:

G

Mama, Mama, look at Uncle Joe

G

He's doing that Hand Jive with sister Flo

C

Grandma gave baby sister a dime

G

Said, "Do that Hand Jive one more time"

G

Doctor and a lawyer and an Indian chief

G

Now they all dig that crazy beat

C

Way out Willie gave them all a treat

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When he did that Hand Jive with his feet

Chorus:

C

G

D

Hand Jive, Hand Jive, Hand Jive

G

Doing that crazy Hand Jive

G

Hey, hey

Instrumental:

Bridge:

G

Now Willie and Millie got married last fall

G

They had a little Willie Jr. and that ain't all

C

Well, the baby got famous and it's plain to see

G

Doing that Hand Jive on TV

Chorus:

C

G

D

Hand Jive, Hand Jive, Hand Jive

G

Doing that crazy Hand Jive