ADDEY

[INTRO]

Bb

Addey's a cat, she's a fool, she's a star, she's a queen,

She lives in a trap down on 3rd,

F

never heard, never seen,

Gm Eb

Oh, she's desperate for a way to get out;

Bb

she don't know what "out" means,

Cm

Addey, don't you be so afraid;

F Bb

it's not as bad as it seems.

Bb

She walks 'cross the floor, toward the door, to stairs to the street,

She calls up a cab for downtown,

F

there's a man she must meet,

Gm Eb

Oh, the thought of what she's got to go through

Bb

makes her cry to be free,

Cm

Addey, wipe those tears from your eyes;

F

Bb

you wouldn't want him to see.

Bb

So she puts on a face with a smile as she walks through the door,

She thinks of her folks and her home,

F

and what she came there for,

Gm E

She tells the man, after this time

Bb

she won't be back for more,

Cm

He says, "Huh, Addey, don't you be a fool;

Bb

you said that time and time before."

It's alright,

I can hear him say...

Can I hear you say....

She runs down the street, in the heat, down past Nowhere Caf \tilde{A} \mathbb{Q} ,

She drops to her knees 'neath the trees, but she don't know how to pray,

Ooh, Addey, there's no life in that rig, why don't you throw it away?

Trust in God for a new kind of life,

Honey, he won't lead you astray, never.