

Roll In My Sweet Baby's Arms

written and recorded by Lester Flatt

G

I ain't gonna work on the railroad

D7

Ain't gonna work on the farm

G

Lay around the shack

C

Till the mail train comes back

D7

G

And roll in my sweet baby's arms

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G

Lay round the shack

C

Till the mail train comes back

D7

G

And roll in my sweet baby's arms

instrumental

Now where were you last Friday night

D7

While I was lying in jail

G

C

Walking the streets with another man

D7

G

Wouldn't even go my bail

chorus

I know your parents don't like me

D7

They turn me away from your door

G

C

Had my life to live over

D7

G

Wouldn't go there any more

chorus