Blame it all on my roots, I showed up in boots And ruined your black tie affair The last one to know, the last one to show I was the last one you thought you'd see there / G E7 / Am - / D - / G - /

And I saw the surprise, and the fear in his eyes When I took his glass of champagne And I toasted you, said, honey, we may be through But you'll never hear me complain / G E7 / Am Cm / D - / - - /

'Cause I've got friends in low places, where the whiskey drowns, and the beer chases My blues away — and I'll be okay ... I'm not big on social graces, think I'll slip on down to the o-a-sis Oh, I've got friends — in low places ... / G - - - / Am - D - / 1st / Am D G - /

Well, I guess I was wrong, I just don't belong But then, I've been there before Everything's all right, I'll just say goodnight And I'll show myself to the door

Hey, I didn't mean, to cause a big scene Just give me an hour and then Well, I'll be as high, as that ivory tower That you're livin' in... I guess I was wrong, I just don't belong But then, I've been there before And everything is alright, I'll just say goodnight And I'll show myself to the door

I didn't mean to cause a big scene, Just wait 'til I finish this glass Then sweet little lady, I'll head back to the bar And you can kiss my ass...