## **Everybody Loves Me, Baby**

## **Don McLean**

One, two, three, fourFortune has me well in hand

Armies wait at my command

My gold lies in a foreign land

Buried deep beneath the sandThe angels guide my every tread

My enemies are sick or dead

But all the victories I've led

Haven't brought you to my bedYou see, everybody loves me, baby

What's the matter with you?

Won'tcha tell me what did I do

To offend you?

Now the purest race I've bred for thee

To live in my democracy

And the highest human pedigree

Awaits the first born boy babyAnd my face on every coin engraved

The anarchists are all enslaved

My own flag is forever waved

By the grateful people I have savedYou see, everybody loves me, baby

What's the matter with you?

Won'tcha tell me what did I do

To offend you? Now, no land is beyond my claim

When land is seized in the people's name

By evil men who rob and maim

If war is hell, I'm not to blame

Why, you can't blame me I'm heaven's child

I'm the second son of Mary mild

And I'm twice removed from Oscar Wilde

But he didn't mind, why, he just smiledYes, and the ocean parts when I walk through

And the clouds dissolve and the sky turns blue

I'm held in very great value

By everyone I meet but you'Cause I've used my talents as I could

I've done some bad, I've done some good

I did a whole lot better than they thought I would so

C'mon and treat me like you shouldBecause everybody loves me, baby

What's the matter with you?

Tell me what did I do

To offend you? What's the matter with you?

Tell me what did I do

To offend you? Yeah, everybody loves me, baby

What's the matter with you?

Tell me what did I do

To offend you?

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