Lyle Lovett, Why I Don't Know

(Lyle Lovett)

Was it the champagne Was it the caviar Was it her airplane Was it her daddy's car Was it the new thing With all the dough Why I don't know I just had to go

Was that the yacht club
Or just a fishing boat
Was that the leg of lamb
Or was it a billy goat
Was that a snail baby
Or escargot
Why I don't know
I just had to go

I'm just a poor boy
I like to have fun
I know a pretty girl when I see one
I've seen the real thing
The imitation too
So don't go telling me what to do

Was that a beer joint
Or was that the country club
Were we fooling around
Or was it truly love
Was that a foreign film
Or just a show
Why I don't know
I just had to go

I'm just a poor boy
I like to have fun
I know a pretty girl when I seen one
I've seen the real thing
The imitation too
So don't go telling me what to do

So keep your champagne And keep your caviar And fly your airplane Into your daddy's car And so you'll understand I'll tell you slow Why I don't know I just had to...go