Del Reeves, Mexican Joe

South of the border hey I know a lad He's got more fun than anybody's had Don't got no worry don't got no dough Everybody's a wondering about Mexican Joe

In old Mexico they call him the Rhumba King Leads all the women around on a string When they go out they get a million thrills But the lovely senoritas wind up with the bills Dancin' romancin' always on the go Sun shining down on Mexican Joe (guitar)

He makes the night spots all along the bay

People want to see him when he comes their way
He spreads so much joy everywhere he goes
Everybody shouts Viva la Mexican Joe

He likes to gamble at poker he's an ace He's always lucky with the cards at ever face At winnin' the money he is sure a whiz But when they win they don't collect Cause they don't know where he is Dancin' romancin' always on the go Sun shining down on Mexican Joe

He don't got no income tax cause he don't got no dough Still he gets along just fine how we'll never know He's got everything he wants a girl a song If we use his formula we surely can't go wrong

His favorite playground is anywhere there's girls He's got that something that sets their hearts a whirl It couldn't be his money cause he ain't got a peso But when he wants a kiss all he's got to do is say so Dancin' romancin' always on the go Sun shining down on Mexican Joe