

Steve Wariner, Carmelita

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Chorus:

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Huggin' on the telephone
I've been searchin' my mind tryin' hard to find
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I called your mama and your sister
I even called your daddy too
He said listen here mister yeah this one's up to you
He said you know I love my baby
But she's hard headed like her mom
I've already fought that battle now yours has just begun

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Instrumental

You know you really got me shook up
Yeah, you really cut me down to size
But I'm never gonna give up 'til I look you in the eyes
And I hear your explanation
And you seal it with a kiss
It's gonna take a ton of your lovin' to get me over this

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(spoken)

Girl why you been gone so long
You are killin' me
Thats right
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