

**Beg Borrow And Steal**  
**Ohio Express**

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INTRO: **A/// D// E/// D//** (x2)

#1.

**A** **D** **E**  
You threw me out the night before last and now  
**D** **A** **D E D**  
you want me back in your arms again.  
**A** **D**  
You think I m a fool, you treat me like dirt,  
**E** **D** **A** **D E D**  
you pull the string and hope I will be your friend.  
**G** **A** **G**  
But I know what s on your mind, so I d rather stay  
**E**  
out in the street, without a dime.

CHORUS:

**A** **D** **E**  
And I d rather beg, borrow and steal..I d rather  
**A** **D** **E** **A** **D** **E**  
beg borrow and steal..I d rather beg, borrow and steal  
**D** **A** **D** **E** **D**  
than go back to you..go back to you..than go back to  
**A** **D** **E** **D** **A** **D**  
you, go back to you, than go back to you, go back to  
**E** **D** **A** **D** **E////////**  
you..than go back to you..go back to youuuuuu..

(INTERLUDE:) **A D E D** (x4) **E**

#2.

**A** **D** **E**  
How long did you think I d hang around pretending not  
**D** **A** **D E D**  
to see the tricks you pulled on me?  
**A** **D** **E**  
There s only so much a man can take before his life turns  
**D** **A** **D E D**  
into a tragedy.  
**G** **A** **G**  
So, I m gettin out now while I can, cause I don t want  
**E**

to crawl..I want to walk out like a man..

CHORUS:

**A**      **D**                  **E**  
And I d rather beg, borrow and steal..I d rather  
**A**  **D**                  **E**                                  **A**  **D**                  **E**  
beg borrow and steal..I d rather beg, borrow and steal  
          **D**                  **A**  **D**                  **E**                  **D**  
than go back to you..go back to you..than go back to  
**A**  **D**                  **E**                  **D**                  **A**  **D**  
you, go back to you, than go back to you, go back to  
**E**                  **D**                  **A**  **D**                  **E**/////////  
you..than go back to you..go back to youuuuuu..yeahhhh!

OUTRO:

**A**      **D**                  **E**  
And I d rather beg, borrow and steal..I d rather  
**A**  **D**                  **E**  
beg borrow and steal..(Fade.)

A sixties smash from Kraziekhat.