

The Great Airplane Strike Paul Revere and The Raiders

The Great Airplane Strike:Paul Revere And The Raiders.
#17 Cash Box Top 100 and #45 in Canada in 1966.

INTRO: **A G A** (x4)

#1.

A **G** **A** **G**
I was down in L.A. Town when our manager said, jump.
A **G** **A**
I threw my clothes and my saxophone in a two by
G
four-bit trunk.
A **G** **A** **G**
I pushed it to the airport, and I ran to the ticket line..
A **G** **A**
man said, Son, you could have saved the run, those aiplanes

just quit flyin.

CHORUS:

A **D** **E**
If I can t leave here, I just might stay..
B7 **E** **A** **G A G**
and that L.A. flyway is goin to be my home.

#2.

A **G** **A** **G**
I ran through the terminal building to fly by my airline.
A **G** **A** **G**
The man said I could ride the wing, and I said that was fine.
A **G** **A**
He said, I ll confirm your reservation and put the plane on
G
hold.
A **G** **A**
He come back and said, Sorry, but that wing space just been

sold.

CHORUS:

A **D** **E**
If I can t leave here, I just might stay..
B7 **E** **A** **G A G**
and that L.A. flyway is goin to be my home.

#3.

A **G** **A** **G**

I walked into the washroom and I built myself a fire..

A **G** **A** **G**
threw on lots of paper and the flames kept gettin higher..

A **G** **A** **G**
The janitor come runnin in, so scared his face was white..

A **G** **A**
so, I explained my situation, he said, That s all right.

CHORUS:

A **D** **E**
If I can t leave here, I just might stay..
B7 **E** **A** **G A G**
and that L.A. flyway is goin to be my home.

#4.

A **G** **A**
Next day I thought that I would leave, so I packed
G
my things again.

A **G** **A** **G**
I waited fourteen hours for a taxi to come in.

A **G** **A** **G**
I spotted one that wasn t full, and I threw myself in fast.

A **G** **A**
The driver said, I m sorry, but this taxi s out of gas!

CHORUS:

A **D** **E**
If I can t leave here, I just might stay..
B7 **E** **A** **G A G**
and that L.A. flyway is goin to be my home.

OUTRO: **A G A G** (x30) (Fade.)

A sixties smash from Kraziekhat.