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From the album "Another Country"

Tabbed by Roj Vincent

Intro: **Fm** **Eb** **Fm** **Eb**

Fm

Like everybody else, I like a night on the town.

C# **Fm**

I love a bella vino when the sun goes down.

Eb **Bb**

Fm

Cm

But unfortunately, one thing has led to another (yes it has).

Fm

I ve struggled more than once to put the key in the door,

G# **C#** **Fm** **C#** **Bb**

Fallen flat on my face on the disco floor,

Eb **Bb**

Eb

Fm

But if I die, I m gonna die laughing. (Now listen)

Fm

I ve sung and I ve danced in the streets of Paree,

G# **C#**

Discovered my trousers up an old oak tree,

Eb **Bb**

I ve walked half naked through the hotel continental. (But you know what)

Fm **Bb** **Fm**

I m glad I did what I did when I did it,

Bb **Fm**

Make no mistake about that.

Bb

Cm

And i m glad I said what I said when I said it, Oh yeah.

C#

G#

It was the drink that made me do it.

Eb **Fm**

I know sometimes I blew it.

C#

G#

It was the drink that made me do it.

Cm

Every time, Every time.

Instrumental break: **Fm** **Cm** **Fm** **Cm**

Fm

I ve skipped a light fandango, and I ve lost my socks.

C#

Even spent the night in a telephone box.

Eb **Fm**
 I m a sucker when I hear one more for the road.
G# **Fm** **Eb**
 I ve woken up with women that I hardly knew,
C# **Fm**
 Wine is the cause of silly tattoos.
Eb **Fm**
 I ve raised hell, where hell didn t need no raising.
Bb **Fm**
 But I m glad I did what I did when I did it,
Bb **Fm**
 Make no mistake about that.
Bb **Cm**
 And I m glad I said what I said, Oh yeah.
C# **G#**
 It was the drink that made me do it.
Eb **Fm**
 Sometimes I guess I blew it.
C# **G#**
 It was the drink that made me do it.
Cm
 Every time.

 Oh yeah

 Break: **Fm** **Bb** **Fm** **Cm** **Fm**

 Ahh yeah

G# **Fm**
 So, the moral of the story. Stick to tea and cakes.
C# **Bb**
 If ya take to the drinking you re gonna make mistakes
Eb **Bb** **Fm**
 I wouldn t change a thing, if I could do it again. (No I wouldn t)
C# **G#**
 It was the drink that make me do it.
Eb **Fm**
 Sometimes I knew I blew it.
C#
 It was the drink that made me do it.
Cm **Eb** **Fm**
 Every time. Every time.
Eb
 Oh yeah
Fm
 Blame the drink

A great little song..... enjoy... :-)