

Monkey Man
The Specials

...MONKEY MAN... by The Specials

from The Specials (1979)

Intro:

(Spoken):

(n.C#)

This one s for the bouncers; big, big Monkey Man.

G#, **C#** **Eb**, **G#** (x2)

Chorus 1:

G#

Aye aye aye, aye aye aye, tell you baby;

C#

Eb

G#

You huggin up the big monkey man.

G#

Aye aye aye, aye aye aye, tell you baby;

C#

Eb

G#

You huggin up the big monkey man.

Verse 1:

G#

I never saw you, I only heard of you;

C#

Eb

G#

Huggin up the big monkey man.

G#

I never saw you, I only heard of you;

C#

Eb

G#

Huggin up the big monkey man.

Verse 2:

G#

It s no lie, it s no lie, them a tell me;

C#

Eb

G#

You huggin up the big monkey man.

G#

It s no lie, it s no lie, them a tell me;

C#

Eb

G#

You huggin up the big monkey man.

Verse 3:

G#

Now I know that, now I understand;

C# Eb G#

You re turning a monkey on me.

G#

Now I know that, now I understand;

C# Eb G#

You re turning a monkey on me.

Chorus 2:

G#

Aye aye aye, aye aye aye, tell you baby;

C# Eb G#

You huggin up the big monkey man.

G#

Aye aye aye, aye aye aye, tell you baby;

C# Eb G#

You huggin up the big monkey man.

Verse 4:

G#

I was on my way to Banbury Cross,

C# Eb G#

Then I see a monkey up-on a white horse.

G#

With rings on he fingers, bells on him toes,

C# Eb G#

Sing a little song, wher-ever he be.

G#

Cos he s a monkey, cos he s a monkey,

C# Eb G#

Cos he s a weedy, weedy, weedy, little monkey man.

Chorus 3:

G#

Aye aye aye, aye aye aye, tell you baby;

C# Eb G#

You huggin up the big monkey man.

G#

Aye aye aye, aye aye aye, tell you baby;

C# Eb G#

You huggin up the big monkey man.

Chorus 4:

G#

Aye aye aye, aye aye aye, tell you baby;

C#	Eb	G#
You huggin	up the big monkey	man.
G#		
Aye aye aye,	aye aye aye,	tell you baby;
C#	Eb	G#
You huggin	up the big monkey	man.

Outro:

G#, **C#** **Eb**, **G#** (x2)

CHORD DIAGRAMS:

G#	C#	Eb
EADGBE	EADGBE	EADGBE
355433	x35553	x57775

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