

# Gimme 3 Steps

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[Intro]

D A D A  
D A D E  
A D G E  
D A  
D

[Verse 1]

D  
I was cutting the rug  
Down at a place called The Jug  
A  
With a girl named Linda Lu  
D  
When in walked a man  
With a gun in his hand  
E A  
And he was looking for you know who  
D  
He said, hey there fellow  
With the hair colored yellow  
G E  
What you trying to prove?  
D  
'Cause that's my woman there  
And I'm a man who cares  
A D  
And this might be all for you

[Bridge]

D A D A  
D

[Verse 2]

D  
I was scared and fearing for my life

A

I was shaking like a leaf on a tree

D

'Cause he was lean, mean  
Big and bad, Lord

E

A

Pointing that gun at me

D

Oh, wait a minute, mister  
I didn't even kiss her

G

E

Don't want no trouble with you

D

And I know you don't owe me  
But I wish you would let me

A

D

Ask one favor from you

[Chorus]

D

Oh, won't you give me three steps  
Gimme three steps mister

A

Gimme three steps towards the door?

D

Gimme three steps  
Gimme three steps mister

A

D

And you'll never seea me no more  
For sure!

[Post-Chorus]

D A D E

A D G E

D A D

[Verse 3]

D

Well the crowd cleared away  
And I began to pray

A

As the water fell on the floor

**D**

And I'm telling you son

Well, it ain't no fun

**E**

**A**

Staring straight down a fortyfour

**D**

Well he turned and screamed at Linda Lu

**G**

**E**

And that's the break I was looking for

**D**

And you could hear me screaming a mile away

**A**

**D**

As I was headed out towards the door

[Chorus]

**D**

Oh, won't you give me three steps

Gimme three steps mister

**A**

Gimme three steps towards the door?

**D**

Gimme three steps

Gimme three steps mister

**A**

**D**

And you'll never seea me no more

Show me the back door

[Outro]

**D A D E**

**A D G E**

[(Fade out)]

**D A D D**

**A D E A**