

Spill the Wine  
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[Intro]

**F C Bb Bb C** (x4)

[Verse 1] (*spoken*)

**F C Bb Bb C**

I was once out strolling one very hot summer's day,

**F C Bb Bb C**

When I thought I'd lay myself down to rest,

**F C Bb Bb C**

In a big field of tall grass.

**F C Bb Bb C**

**F C Bb Bb C**

I laid there in the sun and felt it caressing my face.

**F C Bb Bb C**

**F C Bb Bb C**

As I fell asleep and dreamed,

**F C Bb Bb C**

I dreamed I was in a Hollywood movie,

**F C Bb Bb C**

And that I was the star of the movie.

**F C Bb Bb C**

This really blew my mind,

**F C Bb Bb C**

The fact that me an overfed long haired leaping gnome,

**F C Bb Bb C**

**F C Bb Bb C**

Should be the star of a Hollywood movie, hmmm.

**F C Bb Bb C**

**F C Bb Bb C**

**F C Bb Bb C**

There I was, ummm, I was taken to a place, the hall of the mountain  
kings

**F C Bb Bb C**

**F C Bb Bb C**

I stood high upon a mountain top, naked to the world

**F C Bb Bb C**

**F C Bb Bb C**

In front of every kind of girl, there was

**F C Bb Bb C**

Long one's, tall ones, short ones, brown ones,

**F C Bb Bb C**

**F C Bb Bb C**

Black ones, round ones, big ones, crazy ones

**F C Bb Bb C**

**F C Bb Bb C**

Out of the middle, came a lady

**F C Bb Bb C**

**F C Bb Bb C**

She whispered in my ear something crazy, she said,

[Chorus]

**F C Bb Bb C**

Spill the wine, take that pearl

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Spill the wine, take that pearl

**F C Bb Bb C**

Spill the wine, take that pearl

**F C Bb Bb C**

Spill the wine, take that pearl

[Verse 2] (*spoken*)

**F C Bb Bb C**

**F C Bb Bb C**

I thought to myself, what could that mean?

**F C Bb Bb C**

**F C Bb Bb C**

Am I going crazy, or is this just a dream.

Now wait a minute

**F C Bb Bb C**

I know I'm lying in a field of grass somewhere

**F C Bb Bb C**

So it's all in my head

**F C Bb Bb C    F C Bb Bb C**

And then I heard her say one more time

[Chorus]

**F        C    Bb   Bb   C**

Spill the wine, take that girl

**F        C    Bb   Bb   C**

Spill the wine, take that girl

**F        C    Bb   Bb   C**

Spill the wine, take that girl

**F        C    Bb   Bb   C**

Spill the wine, take that girl

[Verse 3] (*spoken*)

**F C Bb Bb C**

**F C Bb Bb C**

I could feel hot flames of fire roaring at my back

**F C Bb Bb C**

**F C Bb Bb C**

As she disappeared, but soon she returned

**F C Bb Bb C**

In her hand was a bottle of wine

**F C Bb Bb C**

In the other a glass

**F C Bb Bb C**

**F C Bb Bb C**

She poured some of the wine from the bottle into the glass

**F C Bb Bb C**

And raised it to her lips

**F C Bb Bb C**

And just before she drank it, she said

[Chorus]

**F C Bb Bb C**

Take the wine, take that girl

**F C Bb Bb C**

Spill the wine, take that girl

**F C Bb Bb C**

Spill the wine, take that girl, c'mon, c'mon,

**F C Bb Bb C**

Spill the wine, take that girl

**F C Bb Bb C**

Take that girl, yeah!

[Outro]

**F C Bb Bb C**

It's on girl, all you gotta do is spill that wine

**F C Bb Bb C F C Bb Bb C F C Bb Bb C**

Spill that wine, let me feel, let me feel hot, yeah! yeah! Owww,

**F C Bb Bb C**

Spill the wine, spill the wine, spill the wine, spill the wine,

Spill the wine, spill the wine, spill the wine,

**F C Bb Bb C**

Take that girl!