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Moderato

Vamp.

To look at me no doubt you think I'm hap-py I'm  
Some peo-ple say I look just like the ice-man that

real - y an - y - thing but that. I know you wond - er why I  
brought the ice to Wink - le's flat. And that the milk - man was a

wear this suit of clothes and my old last sum-mers' hat. There was a time when I  
friend of Miss-us Rip's and such fool-ish things as that. I'm ve-ry sor-ry

had a lot of mon-ey But that was man-y years a go. I met a  
that I ev - er met her And I sup-pose she thinks the same But I must

Miss - us Rip Van - Wink - le. That's what be - came of all my dough -  
sure - ly give her cred - it, The way she played her lit - tle game. -

## CHORUS

I'm the guy that paid the rent for Miss - us Rip Van - Wink - le when

Rip Van - Wink - le went a - way. He left her all a - lone,

All a - lone, Like the vil - lian in the play. I spent my

mon - ey Just like a dead game sport. But I fig - ure out I must of been a

Jay for I'm the guy that paid the rent for Miss - us Rip Van - Wink - le when

Rip Van - Wink - le went a way. I'm the way