

IF I CAN'T GET THE SWEETIE I WANT (I PITY THE SWEETIE I GET)



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Piano

Moderato

f

fz

Vamp

mf

VOICE

I know what I want when I want it And I get what I want when I
I know where to go to be hap - py And I tell ev - 'ry beau make it

want it — Just point me out and say — There's some - bo - dy that
snap - py — Here's my phil - os - o - phy — I chase no one that

has her own way I fall for no fool con-ver-sa-tion say my brain is - n't on a va -
does - n't chase me Give me the smile and the laugh-ter I don't give a rap what comes

ca-tion — Love nev-er turns my head Here's a ba - by that al-ways said:
af-ter — I stud-ied life that's true That's the rea - son I'm tell-ing you.

CHORUS

If I can't get the sweet - ie I want — I pit - y the sweet - ie I
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p-f

get — I'll eith - er stay home or start in to roam, It's up to the cut - ie I
get — I'll make a home run with some-bod-y's son, If his lit - tle heart is to -

pet And what do I care if it does - n't turn out so nice — I
let He'll prom - ise of course that he nev - er will treat me cruel — I'll

may bestung once, but they nev-er can sting me twice
 work like a horse but I won't be no-bod-y's mule

And if I can't get the
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lov-in' I want I don't want the lov - in' I get I've got some i - deas, I've
 pet-tin' I crave I don't want the pet - tin' I get I'm not the fool kind that

had them for years they've nev - er gone wrong on me yet Now you can speak your heart, say
 go off their mind 'Cause I nev-er wor - ry or fret Oh, I don't want a Sheik No,

what you think But don't get smart with pen-cil and ink So if I can't get the
 they're too dumb They think your cheek is just chew-ing gum So if I can't get the

sweet-ie I want I pit - y the sweet-ie I get. If I get.
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