Crocodile Rock
by Elton John and Bernie Taupin (1972)

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Intro: G . . . | . . . | Em . . . | . . . | C . . . | . . . | D . . . . . .

(sing a)

| G | G | G | G | Bm | Bm | Bm | Bm |
I re-member when rock was young, me and Susie had so much fun

| C | C | C | C | D | D | D | D |
Holding hands and skimmin’ stones, had an old gold Chevy and a place of my own

| G | G | G | G | Bm | Bm | Bm | Bm |
But the biggest kick I ever got, was doing’ a thing called the Croco-dile rock

| C | C | C | C | D | D | D | D |
While the other kids were rockin’ ‘round the clock, we were hoppin’ and boppin’

To the Croco-dile Rock, well

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Chorus: Croc rockin’ is some-thin’ shockin’ when your feet just can’t keep still

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| D7 | D7 | D7 | D7 | G | G | G | G |
I never knew me a better time and I guess I never will

| E7 | E7 | E7 | E7 | A7\ \ | A7\ \ | A7\ \ | A7\ |
Oh, Lawdy momma, those Fri-day nights, when Su-sie wore her dress-es tight

| D7 | D7 | D7 | D7 | Am\ \ | C6\ \ | Am\ \ | C6\ |
And the Croc Rockin’ was o-o-o out of sight

| G | G | G | G | Em | Em | Em | Em |
Laaaaaaaaaaaa la-la, la-la, laaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa la-la, la-la

| C | C | C | C | D | D | D | D |
Laaaaaaaaaaaaa la-la la-la laaaaaaaaaaaaaa

But the years went by and the rock just died, Susie went and left me for some for-eign guy

| C | C | C | C | D | D | D | D |
Long nights cryin’ by the record ma-chine, dreamin’ of my Chevy and my old blue jeans

| G | G | G | G | Bm | Bm | Bm | Bm |
But they’ll never kill the thrills we got, burnin’ up to the Croco-dile Rock

| C | C | C | C | D | D | D | D |
Learnin’ fast till the weeks went past, we really thought the Croco-dile Rock would last, well

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| D7 | D7 | D7 | D7 | G | G | G | G |
I never knew me a better time and I guess I never will
Oh, Lawdy momma, those Fri-day nights, when Su-sie wore her dress-es tight

And the Croc Rockin’ was o-o-out of si-i nineteen-forty-eight

G . . . | . . . | Em . . . | . . . | Laaaaaaaa la-la, la-la, laaaaaaaaaaaaaa la-la, la-la
C . . . | . . . | D . . . | . . . | Laaaaaaaa la-la la-la laaaa

Outtro:
G . . | . . . | Em . . . | . . . | Laaaaaaaa la-la, la-la, laaaaaaaaaaaaaa la-la, la-la
C . . . | . . . | D . . . | . . . | Laaaaaaaa la-la la-la laaaa
G . . | . . . | Em . . . | . . . | Laaaaaaaa la-la, la-la, laaaaaaaaaaaa la-la, la-la
C . . | . . . | D . . | . . . | G
Laaaaaaaa la-la la-la laaaa

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