

PAPER DOLL

*By Johnny Black (1915)
Recorded on Decca by the Mills Brothers
And featured by Frank Sinatra*

*I guess I've had a mil-lion dolls or more,
I guess I've played the doll game o'er and o'er,
I just quar-reled with Sue, That's why I'm blue;
She's gone a-way and left me just like all dolls do.
I'll tell you boys it's tough to be a-lone
And it's tough to love a doll that's not your own.
I'm thru with all of them, I'll never fall a-gain,
'Cause this is what I'll do.*

**I'm goin' to buy a pa-per doll that I can call my own,
A doll that oth-er fel-lows can-not steal
And then the flir-ty, flir-ty guys
With their flir-ty flir-ty eyes,
Will have to flirt with dol-lies that are real.**

**When I come home at night she will be wait-ing,
She'll be the tru-est doll in all the world.
I'd rather have a pa-per doll to call my own,
Than have a fick-le-mind-ded real live girl.**

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By JOHNNY S. BLAC

Slowly

ten.

poco rit.

VERSE



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+ Diagrams are for Guitar, Symbols are for Ukulele and Banjo.

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CHORUS (Slowly)

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flir-ty, flir-ty eyes, Will have to flirt with dol-lies that are real. When

Chords: C, A7, Eb dim, G7, C7, C dim, C7

I come home at night she will be wait-ing, She'll be the tru-est doll in all this

Chords: F, D7, G7, C7, F, F, D7, G7, C7

world. I'd rath-er have a PA-PER DOLL to call my own, than have a ten.

Chords: A7, Dm6, A7, Bb, Bb dim, F, A7, D7

fick - le - mind - ed real live girl. I'm goin' to girl.

Chords: G7, Bbm6, C7, 1. F, Ab dim, C7, 2. F