Don't Go near the Water

Sammy Kershaw

Your mama used to worry about that big muddy river Honey do your remember?

You let the screen door slam when you stepped off the front porch

Then your mama calling don't be lateAnd I'd hear your daddy holler, "Son she's my only daughter"
You'd stick your nose in the honeysuckle down by the gate

I can still hear your mama calling, "Don't go near the water"We fell right in, went over our head But we didn't go near the water

And nothing beats so young and sweet

And the nights got hotter and hotter

We were sure enough getting our feet wet mama

But we didn't go near the waterWe'd hear the rocking chair squeaking

As you sneaked up the back stairs

Mama waiting like a grizzly bear

And had to get the honeysuckle out of your hairBut in the morning light

You'd look her right in the eye

It wasn't a lie, we didn't go near the waterWe fell right in, went over our head

But we didn't go near the water

Well nothing beats so young and sweet

And the nights got hotter and hotter

We were sure enough getting our feet wet mama

But we didn't go near the waterYour mama used to worry about that big muddy river She should've worried about me'Cause we were sure enough getting our feet wet mama

> But we didn't go near the water Didn't go near the water Didn't go near the water, yeah

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