

# Little Angel, Little Brother

[Lucinda Williams](#)

Your R&B records your music books  
Your sense of humor and your rugged good looksI see you now at the piano  
Your back a slow curve  
Playing Ray Charles and Fats Domino  
While I sang all the wordsLittle angel, little brother  
Your bad habits and your attitude  
Your restless ways and your solitudeI see you leaning your lanky frame  
Just inside the door  
A figure behind the kitchen screen  
Staring down at the floorLittle angel, little brotherLittle angel, little brotherYour passion for Shakespeare and  
your paperbacks  
Your chess pieces and your wisecracksI see you sleeping in the car  
Curled up on the back seat  
Parked outside of a bar  
An empty bottle at your feetLittle angel, little brotherYour R&B records your music books  
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While I sang all the wordsLittle angel little brother  
Little angel little brother of mine

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