

# Lake Pontchartrain

## Ludo

Advisory - the following lyrics contain explicit language:

I'll tell it like it happened, it was Darius and Noland and me  
Just a few po' boys trying to get up outta Missouri  
Took 55 to Louisiana, stopped by the highway to eat  
They both had crawfish, strictly chicken for me  
Back out under thunderheads, the radio was southern soul  
They interrupted Clarence Carter with a strange-ass local show  
They were sayin' Come down to Lake Pontchartrain  
Rest your soul and feed your brain  
That's where you will get to see  
Everything the water can be  
The rain was comin' down, the wind was howlin' outside of Slidell  
It was the kinda night that makes you think the whole world's goin' to hell  
We got off on an exit 'cause we couldn't read the map so great  
Near the Choctaw Motel, we parked to deliberate  
When out of the bayou came a man like the lake had a tongue  
He was right up on the glass, all yellow eyed  
Black teeth, bangin' on the windshield  
Screamin' like a demon at the top of his lungs  
Come down to Lake Pontchartrain  
Rest your soul and feed your brain  
Free for you and all your friends  
Crawfish 'til the bitter end  
Come down to Lake Pontchartrain  
Wade to where the shallows break  
That's where you will get to see  
Everything the water can be  
I was driving out of there as fast as a Camry could  
But the interstate was flooded and I had to take the road through the woods  
Bad move in retrospect, the road disappeared in the rain  
And I stood on the brakes when I saw the sign Lake Pontchartrain  
Darius was yelling that he saw somebody out  
in the swells  
He jumped out runnin' and Noland was goin' as well  
Come back, why the hell would they leave the car?  
And that's when I heard it, make no mistake  
The voices were calling them from under the lake  
Come down to Lake Pontchartrain  
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Come down to Lake Pontchartrain  
The crawfish were screaming, the waves danced in time

My friends went in deeper, the water, it climbed  
I watched in terror, the lake opened wide  
And horribly roaring, it pulled them inside That's how it happened, why would I lie?  
There were no bodies, I've got none to hide  
I'm just a boy, lost his friends in the rain  
Any more questions, just go and ask Lake Pontchartrain

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