## I Shot the Sheriff

## **Eric Clapton**

Riff

I shot the Sheriff, but I did not shoot the deputy
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All around in my hometown, they're trying to track me down
They say they want to bring me in guilty
for the killing of a deputy
for the life of a deputy, but I say:

I shot the Sheriff, but I did not shoot the deputy

I shot the Sheriff, but I didn't shoot the deputySheriff John Brown always hated me, for what I don't know

Every time that I plant a seed

He said: "Kill it before it grows!"

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I shot the Sheriff, but I swear it was in self-defense

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Freedom came my way one day, and I started out of town

All of a sudden, I see sheriff John Brown

Aiming to shoot me down

So I shot, I shot him down, but I say:

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Reflexes got the better of me, and what is to be must be

Every day, the bucket goes to the well

But one day the bottom will drop out

Yes one day the bottom will drop out, but I say:

I shot the Sheriff, but I did not shoot no deputy

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Instr.

Schluss

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