

# A Few Cents Short

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Looking for spare change  
To put gas in my car  
But what I've found  
Won't get me very far  
Seems lately the low times  
Have hit me pretty hard  
'Cause I'm a few cents short  
From getting to where you are  
I'm a few cents short  
Of holding you in my arms  
And a few cents short  
Of keeping us from falling apart  
Ain't it funny how the money  
Can change our lives?  
'Cause I'm a few cents short  
From losing you tonight  
So I walked to a pay phone down the road  
But a few dimes and a nickel is all I had  
The operator wants more money to place my call  
But I'm a few cents short if that don't beat it all  
I'm a few cents short  
Of holding you in my arms  
And a few cents short  
Of keeping us from falling apart  
Ain't it funny how the money  
Can change our lives?  
'Cause I'm a few cents short  
From losing you tonight  
I'm a few cents short  
Of holding you in my arms  
And a few cents short  
Of keeping us from falling apart  
Sure is funny how the money  
Can change our lives  
'Cause I'm a few cents short  
From losing you tonight  
Yes, I'm a few cents short  
And I'll be losing you tonight

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