Kaw-liga

Hank Williams

Kaw-Liga was a wooden Indian, standin' by the door He fell in love with an indian maid, over in the antique store

Kaw-Liga, ooh

Just stood there, and never let it show

So she could never answer yes or noHe always wore his Sunday feathers, and held a tomahawk The maiden wore her beads and braids and hoped someday he'd talk

Kaw-Liga, ooh

To stubborn to ever show a sign

Because his heart is made of knotty pinePoor ol' Kaw-Liga, he never got a kiss

Poor ol' Kaw-Liga, he don't know what he missed

Is it any wonder that his face is red?

Kaw-Liga, that poor old wooden headKaw-Liga was a lonely Indian, never went nowhere His heart was set on the Chocktaw maid with the coal-black hair

Kaw-Liga, ooh

Just stood there and never let it show

So she could never answer yes or noAnd then one day, a wealthy customer bought the Indian maid And took her oh-so far away but ol' Kaw-Liga stayed

Kaw-Liga, ooh

Just stands there, as lonely as can be

And wishes he were still an ol' pine treePoor ol' Kaw-Liga, he never got a kiss

Poor ol' Kaw-Liga, he don't know what he missed

Is it any wonder, that his face is red?

Kaw-Liga, you poor, ol' wooden head

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