John Deere Green

Joe Diffie

They were farm kids way down in Dixie

Met in high school in the sixties

Everyone knew it was love from the startOne July in the midnight hour

He climbed upon the water tower

Stood on the rail and painted a 10 foot heartIn John Deere Green

On a hot summer night

He wrote Billy Bob loves Charlene

In letters 3 foot highAnd the whole town said

That he should have used red

But it looked good to Charlene

In John Deere GreenThey settled down on 80 acres

Raising sweet corn, kids, and tomatoes

They went together like a hand and a gloveOn a clear day from their front yard

If you look and know what to look for

Off to the east you can still read his words of loveIn John Deere Green

On a hot summer night

He wrote Billy Bob loves Charlene

In letters 3 foot highAnd the whole town said

The boy should have used red

But it looked good to Charlene

In John Deere GreenNow more than once the town has discovered

Painting over, it ain't no use

There ain't no paint in the world that'll cover it

The heart keeps showing throughIn John Deere Green

On a hot summer night

He wrote Billy Bob loves Charlene

In letters 3 foot highAnd the whole town said

The fool should have used red

But it looked good to Charlene

In John Deere GreenAhh, paint it green, boyIn John Deere Green

On a hot summer night

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