

Witch Doctor

David Seville

I told the witchdoctor, I was in love with you.
I told the witchdoctor, I was in love with you.
And then the witchdoctor, he told me what to do, he said that...

CHORUS:

Ooh eeh ooh ah-ah ting tang walla walla bing-bang
Ooh eeh ooh ah-ah, ting tang walla walla bing bang

Ooh eeh ooh ahah ting tang walla walla bing-bang
Ooh eeh ooh ah-ah, ting tang walla walla bing bang

I told the witchdoctor, you didn't love me true.
I told the witchdoctor, you didn't love me nice.
And then the witchdoctor, he gave me this advice, he said that...

CHORUS

VERSE 1:

You've been keeping love from me, just like you were a miser,
And I'll admit I wasn't very smart.
So I went out to find myself a guy that's so much wiser,
And he taught me the way to win your heart.

VERSE 2:

My friend the witchdoctor, he taught me what to say.
My friend the witchdoctor, he taught me what to do.
I know that you'll be mine when I say this to you, oh baby...

CHORUS

VERSE 1

VERSE 2

CHORUS X2

Written and performed by Ross Bagdasarian Sr., and released in 1958 under the stage name David Seville. The voice of the "Witch Doctor" was in fact Bagdasarian's own voice sped-up to double speed, a technique later exploited by Bagdasarian to create Alvin and the Chipmunks.