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Can't You Be Good?

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Moderato assai.

Till ready.

You haven't been to dinner one day this week,
You used to kiss me fifty times every day,

What is the matter, honey? look up and speak;
Now when I try to kiss you, you turn away,

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You're acting awful cool, Treat me just like a fool,
What do you take me for? Who did you shake me for?

That's no way to do. Who was it sent to you that
Who's your baby doll? Ain't I as nice a girl as

nice perfumed note? Where did you get that lock of
you want to see? Say is that other gal much

hair on your coat? That's enough to get a
nicer than me? Ain't I just as loving

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Lady's goat—Can't you see I love you true?
As can be?—Don't you care for me at all?

CHORUS.
What's the reason honey that you act so shady Tell me
can't you be good? Can't you be good? Can't you stay at home and love your

loving lady Honey, you know you should.
Can't you be good?
You have every thing that's nice up-
on the table, Ain't it awful, simply awful,
Awful Mabel Tell me, won't you be, honey, Can't you be
good?

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