

Hold On Loosely

38 Special

Wild-Eyed Southern Boys 1980

♩ = 128

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You see it all around you, good lovin' gone bad. And usually it's too late when you

full

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realize what you had. And my mind goes back to a girl that I met some years ago

full

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who told me. Just hold on loosely, but don't let go.

full

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If you cling too tightly you're gonna lose control. Your baby need someone to believe

And a whole lotta space to breath in.

It's so damn easy,

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when your feelings are such.

To over protect

her,

to love her too much.

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And my mind goes back to a girl that I met

some years ago

who told me.

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Just hold on loosely,

but don't let go.

If you cling too tightly,

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you're gonna loose control.

Your baby need someone to beleive in,

and a whole lot of space to breathe in.

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Don't let it slip away.

Sentimental fool,

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10 11 9 8 8 7 8 10 9 7 7 7 7 9

Don't let your heart get in the way

Yeah, yeah, yeah

You see it all around you,

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8 8 7 8 8 10 7 7 7 7 9 8 11 9 9 11 9 11

good lovin' gone bad.

And usually it's too late when you,

realize what you had.

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11 9 11 9 11 9 9 11 9 9 11 9 11 11 9 11 9 9 9

So hold on loosely,

but don't let go,

If you cling too tightly,

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you're gonna loose control.

Your baby needs someone to beleive in,

and a whole lot of space

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86 to breathe in. So hold on loosely, but don't let go. If you cling too tightly,

full

92 you're gonna loose it, you're gonna loose control. Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah

full

99 So hold on loosely, but don't let go,

106 If you cling too tightly, you're gonna loose control. So hold on loosely,

full

112 but don't let go, If you cling too tightly,

full

you're gonna loose control.

Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah



117

Musical notation for measures 117-124. The top staff shows a melodic line with notes, accidentals, and a wavy line. The bottom staff shows guitar fretting with numbers 9, 11, 7, and 9.

125

Empty musical notation staves for measures 125-135.

136

Empty musical notation staves for measures 136-146.

147

Musical notation for measures 147-150. The top staff shows a melodic line with notes and accidentals. The bottom staff shows guitar fretting with numbers 9, 11, 7, and 9.