

DISHES

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Okay, kids, it's time for bed
Upstairs – go rest your little heads
But not you honey, the night is still young
In fact, the best is yet to come
Make yourself comfortable, don't answer the phone
Close the curtains, we're not home
Slip in the kitchen, me and you
'Cause honey, we've got dishes to do

Lather up the sponge, won't you take the plunge
Your fingertips will look like prunes
Well I've got a brand new pair of gloves, take them please my love
Hubba hubba, you look good in rubber, rub-a-dub-dub we'll be done so soon

Slide up to the sink
Glide the dishes over the brink
Troubles in the bubbles, blues in the goo
I love doin' dishes with you

CHORUS:

I love you, I love you too, I love you three, I love you four, I love you more – score!

Grab a plate, rotate, rinse, rinse, pass it on (3x)
Grab a plate, rotate, that's great, so take a break

Elbow grease – just a little
I love the way the motion moves to your middle
Slide to the side, it's a mystical dance
What do you mean you'll be glad when were done, honey? This is true romance!
I love the aimless conversations, the beads of perspiration on your upper lip
My cup overflows, so does the sink, try not to slip
Cuddle in the puddle, do-si-do
We'll huddle in the suds, oh no, we won't turn on the radio!

Music on the spot, tappin' on the pots
We can make a brand new song
With chop sticks and a spoon, what do you mean they're not in tune?
We'll be doin' dishes all night long!

Oh no, almost done – well, you know what my wish is:
Eat more food and make more dirty dishes!
Oh joy, it's dawn, we'll never be through...
I love doing dishes with you

CHORUS

Grab a plate, rotate, rinse, rinse, pass it on (3x)
Grab a plate, rotate ... Oh, look your friends are here

One to scrape and one to scrub, one to rinse and one to rub them dry,
And one to stack 'em high
Oh, the party never ends, here come more dishes and here come more friends
The water bill! The water bill! Oh no, the water bill ...

...Is less than when we had a dishwashing machine
Though I confess, yes, even the floor is getting clean
It's fun one on one, but a crew is a coup – COUP D'ETAT!
I love doin' dishes, you know what my wish is:
We'll make more dirty dishes, by eating stuff, delicious
Like maybe some knishes, or good sandwiches

CHORUS