

DON'T BE CHICKEN, CHICKEN

MUSIC BY MATTY MALNECK

LYRICS BY EVE MARLEY



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Tune Uke
A D F# B

Words and Music by
MATTY MALNECK
EVE MARLEY

Solid rock

Piano *mf*

Refrain: ^{E♭} ^{E♭7}

1. DON'T BE CHICK-EN, CHICK-EN, — Give me a lit-tle peck, —
 2. DON'T BE CHICK-EN, CHICK-EN, — Flap your lit-tle wing, —

^{A♭9} ^{E♭6}

DON'T BE CHICK - EN, CHICK-EN, — Kiss me on the neck; — 'Cause
 DON'T BE CHICK - EN, CHICK-EN, — Show us how you swing; —

^{Fm} ^{Edim} ^{Fm7} ^{F#dim} ^{B♭7} ^{E♭6}

I want you to be my ba-by chick! —

* Symbols for Guitar, Diagrams for Ukulele.

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E \flat E \flat 7

1. DON'T BE CHICK - EN, CHICK - EN, Or you'll nev - er get no - where, —
 2. DON'T BE CHICK - EN, CHICK - EN, Knock me — for a loop, —

A \flat 9 E \flat 6

DON'T BE CHICK - EN, CHICK - EN, Don't be a barn-yard square; — } 'Cause
 Show me lots of lov - in', I won't fly the coop; — }

Fm Edim Fm7 F \sharp dim B \flat 7 E \flat 6

I want you to be my ba - by chick!

E \flat 6 E \flat 7

1. Wake me in the morn - ing, E - ven if it's cold, —
 2. If you want some lov - in', Scratch me up some loot, —

A \flat 9 E \flat 6

You just crow with a rock and roll - And I'll do what I'm told, — } 'Cause
 Get me lots of fan - cy feath - ers, Take me on a toot, — }

Fm Edim Fm7 G^bdim B^b7 E^b6

I just want to be your ba-by chick!

E^b6 E^b7

Here, chick-ie, chick chick, rock, rock,- Here, chick- ie, chick, ' chick, rock, rock,-

A^b9 E^b6

Here, chick - ie, chick chick, roll, roll,- Here chick-ie, chick chick, rock, rock,-

1. Fm Edim Fm7 F[#]dim B^b7 E^b6

I want you to be my ba-by chick!

2. B^b7 B^bdim B^b7 (tacet) B^b7 E^b

I want you to be my chick!