

SYLVIA'S MOTHER

Dr.Hook

^A
Sylvia's mother says Sylvia's busy,
^E
too busy to come to the phone
Sylvia's mother says Sylvia's trying,
^A
to start a new life of her own.
^D ^A
Sylvia's mother says Sylvia's happy...
^E ^A
So why don't you leave her alone?
^E
And the operator says :
" Fourty cents more, for the next three minutes."

chorus

^D ^A
Please Mrs. Adria, I've just got to talk to her
^E ^A
I'll only keep her a while
^D ^A
Please Mrs. Adria, just want to tell her
^E
Goodbye...

^A
Sylvia's mother says Sylvia's packing,
^E
she's goin' to be leaving today.
Sylvia's mother says Sylvia's marrying,
^A
a fellow down Galveston-Way
^D ^A
Sylvia's mother says "Please don't say nothing...
^E ^A
To make her start crying and stay."
^E
And the operator says :
"Fourty cents more, for the next three minutes."

chorus

^A
Sylvia's mother says Sylvia's hurrying,
^E
she's catching the nine'o'clock train.
Sylvia's mother says:"Take your umbrella,
^A
cause Sylvia it's starting to rain."
^D ^A
And Sylvia's mother says "Thank you for calling...
^E ^A
And so won't you come back again."
^E
And the operator says :
"Fourty cents more, for the next three minutes."

chorus

Tell her goodbye
Please, tell her goodbye
Goodbye.....