“You Ain’t Nothin’ but a Dumb Meter”

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Sung to “Hound Dog”

With Apologies to Elvis, Jerry Leiber & Mike Stoller

You ain’t nothin’ but a Dumb Meter;
You got me cryin’ all the time.
You ain’t nothin’ but a Dumb Meter;
You got me cryin’ all the time.
Well, you ain’t never acted smart
And you ain’t no meter of mine!

They said you was high-tech
But your pulses make me fry.
They said you was high-tech
But your pulses make me fry.
Yea, you ain’t never saved me money
‘Cuz your promises are nothin’ but a lie.

They said you was clean and green
But you’re just a ball o’ slime.
They said you was clean and green
But you’re just a ball o’ slime.
You ain’t never been natural--
Now you’re breakin’ my heart and that’s a crime.

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You ain’t nothin’ but a Dumb Meter;
Your eyes are spyin’ all the time.
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You ain’t never seen the truth
And your cheatin’ ways have gone and made you blind.

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