

People Get Funny When They Get A Little Money

© 1987 Seventh House Ltd.
Music and Lyrics by Eddie Harris

Once a friend is always a friend
It's not always true
Money makes the difference as to what people say or do
People I've known for years
That's always been the same
When they get a good job, they up and change their name

(Chorus)

People get funny when they get a little money every time x 2

People are the same wherever you go
You can be very good friends, when you both have no dough
Friends talk on the telephone 'bout everybody in town
When one friend loses his job the other one puts him down

(Chorus)

People get funny when they get a little money every time x 2

People will fight for a cause when it's to their advantage
When they get a little money their cause begins to vanish
When things are bad, people tend to stay real mad
When things are good, they want to change their neighborhood

(Chorus)

People get funny when they get a little money every time x 2

People get a position; they never return your call
They see you and won't speak when walking down the hall
They join a social club, which is the latest trend
Then get a brand new car and you never see them again

(Chorus)

People get funny when they get a little money every time x 2

I'm no different than you, everybody knows they want money too
When I get some money, I'm gonna act a fool
Buy me a great big car
And cruise around the school