Rita May – Bob Dylan

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Intro

D D D D D du du du
G G D D
A G D D↓

Verse 1

D D D
Rita May, Rita May, you got your body in the way
D G G D
You're so damn nonchalant, but it's your mind that I want
D A G D D↓
You got me huffin' and a-puffin' next to you I feel like nothin', Rita May

Verse 2

D D D
Rita May, Rita May, how'd you ever get that way
D G G D
When do you ever see the light? Don't you ever feel a fright?
D A G D D↓
You got me burnin' and turnin' but I know I must be learnin', Rita May

Chorus

G G D D
All my friends have told me if I hang around with you that I'll go blind
G G A A↓
But I know that when you hold me, there really must be somethin' on your mind

Verse 3

D D D
Rita May, Rita May, won't you come out and play
D G G D
Won't you tell me where you've been, what's that crazy place you're in
D A G D D↓
I'm gonna have to go to college 'cause you are the book of knowledge, Rita May

Instrumental

D D D D
G G D D
A G D D↓

Chorus

G G D D
All my friends have told me if I hang around with you that I'll go blind
G G A A↓
But I know that when you hold me, there really must be somethin' on your mind

Verse 4

D D D
Rita May, Rita May, laying in a stack of hay
D G G D
Do you remember where you been? What's that crazy place you're in?
D A G D D↓
I'm gonna have to go to college 'cause you are the book of knowledge, Rita May

Chorus

G G D D
All my friends have told me if I hang around with you that I'll go blind
G G A A↓
But I know that when you hold me, there really must be somethin' on your mind

Verse 5

D D D
Rita May, Rita May, you got your body in the way
D G G D
You're so damn nonchalant, but it's your mind that I want
D A G D
I'm gonna have to go to college 'cause you are the book of knowledge, Rita May
D A G D
I'm gonna have to go to college 'cause you are the book of knowledge, Rita May
D A G D D↓
I'm gonna have to go to college 'cause you are the book of knowledge, Rita May

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