

# Mea Culpa

Music and Lyrics by Joel Hill

**Verse 1**  
Got my tail twixt my legs,  
I got my heart out on my sleeve  
It's her turn to beg, Lord  
But that's simply naïve  
But this time I'm right  
And more than just peeved  
'Cause it's so black and white, Lord  
But I'm left to grieve

**Chorus**  
*So I'll forgive and forget  
Like they taught me in school  
Instead of sounding off and always acting the fool  
What works for her never work for me  
Particularly when it comes to an apology, so...  
Woo, oh mea culpa baby  
Woo, oh mea culpa baby  
Woo, oh...it's just easier for me*

**Verse 2**  
I won the battle, girl,  
And you know I won the war  
So just keep that in mind  
As I sleep on the floor, and  
Don't pull the blinds  
As I cry at your door  
Cause I'll be beggin' for mercy  
I'm beggin' for more, so

**Chorus**  
*I'll forgive and forget  
Like they taught me in school  
Where they taught me not to fight and use the Golden Rule  
What's good for the goose is to take the abuse  
'Cause the gander don't care 'bout no damned excuse, so  
Woo, oh mea culpa baby  
Woo, oh mea culpa baby  
Woo, oh...How hard can it be?*

**Verse 3**  
I've scratched out a note  
That's long over due  
It says I am the goat, darlin'  
That comes as no news  
Keep it in your pocket  
Pull it out for review  
Or keep it in your locket  
For when I ain't got no clue

**Chorus**  
*It says forgive and forget  
Like they taught you in school  
Or, let me make it up with diamonds, gems or jewels  
I don't know what just came over me  
So won't you please accept my apologies?  
Woo, oh mea culpa baby  
Woo, oh mea culpa baby  
Woo, oh...*