

# Only the Good Die Young

Billy Joel

Come out, Virginia, don't let me wait  
You Catholic girls start much too late  
Oh, but sooner or later, it comes down to fate  
I might as well be the one Well, they showed you a statue, told you to pray  
They built you a temple and locked you away  
Oh, but they never told you the price that you'd pay  
For things that you might have done Only the good die young  
That's what I said  
Only the good die young  
Only the good die young You might've heard I run with a dangerous crowd  
We ain't too pretty, we ain't too proud  
We might be laughing a bit too loud  
Oh, but that never hurt no one  
So come on, Virginia, show me the sign  
Send up a signal, I'll throw you the line  
The stained-glass curtain you're hiding behind  
Never lets in the sun Darlin', only the good die young, whoa  
I tell you only the good die young  
Only the good die young You got a nice white dress and a party on your confirmation  
You got a brand new soul  
Mmm, and a cross of gold  
But, Virginia, they didn't give you quite enough information  
You didn't count on me  
When you were counting on your rosary, oh, oh, oh They say there's a heaven for those who  
will wait  
Some say it's better but I say it ain't  
I'd rather laugh with the sinners than cry with the saints  
The sinners are much more fun  
You know that only the good die young  
Oh oh oh, baby  
I tell ya, only the good die young  
Only the good die young You say your mother told you all that I could give you was a reputation  
Oh, she never cared for me  
But did she ever say a prayer for me?  
Oh, oh, oh Come out, come out, come out Virginia, don't let me wait  
You Catholic girls start much too late  
But sooner or later, it comes down to fate  
I might as well be the one You know that only the good die young  
Tell ya baby  
You know that only the good die young  
Only the good die young Only the good  
Only the good die young

Wooh, wooh  
Ooh hoo, ooh hoo  
Ooh hoo, ooh hoo  
Only the good die young  
Only the good die young

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