BY THE TIME I GET TO PHOENIX

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Moderately

By the
time
time
time

I get to Phoe-nix
e'll be ris-in':
I make Al-bu-quer-que
e'll be work-in':
I make Ok-la-ho-ma
e'll be sleep-in':

she'll
she'll
she'll

she'll turn

Fm/Bb

Ebmaj7

Fm/Bb

Ebmaj7

A#maj7

Bb9

Gm7

Cm

To Coda ⊙

find the note
pro-b'ly
find the note
pro-b'ly

I left hang-in' on her door.
stop at lunch and give me a call.
She'll
She'll
She'll

But,
And she'll

soft-ly
call
soft-ly
call

and give me a call.
and give me a call.
And she'll
And she'll

laugh
she'll
cry

when she reads the part
just hear that phone
just to think

that says I'm leav-in':
keep on ring-in'
I'd really leave her,

'cause I've
'cause I've
'cause I've

off the
'cho'
'cho'
'cho'

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left that girl so many times before.

By the wall.

that's all.

By the time and time

I've tried to tell her so;
she just didn't know I would really

go.