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Am↓ I took my troubles down to Dm↓ Madame Ruth,
Am↓ You know that gypsy with the Dm↓ gold-capped tooth Dm↓↓
[C] She's got a pad down at [Am] Thirty-Fourth and Vine,
[Dm] Selling little bottles of E7↓ Love Potion Number [Am] Nine [Am]

[Am] I told her I was a [Dm] flop with chicks,
[Am] I'd been this way since nineteen- [Dm] -fifty-six.
She [C] looked at my palm and she [Am] made a magic sign
She [Dm] said "What you need is E7↓ Love Potion Number [Am] Nine" [Am]

Oh she **[Dm]** bent down and turned around and **[Dm]** gave me a wink, She **[B7]** said "I'm gonna make it up right **[B7]** here in the sink" It **[Dm]** smelled like turpentine and looked like **[Dm]** India ink, I **E7** \downarrow held my nose, I closed my eyes **E7** $\downarrow\downarrow\downarrow$ I took a drink! **E7** \downarrow

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[Am] I started kissing every- [Dm] -thing in sight,
But [C] when I kissed a cop down on [Am] Thirty-Fourth and Vine,
He [Dm] broke my little bottle of E7↓ Love Potion Number [Am] Nine [Am]

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E7 \downarrow (*slow*) Love Potion Number **Am** \downarrow Ni-i- **Am** \downarrow i-i- **Am** \downarrow ine ... **Am9** \downarrow

