

Sheriff Experiment

She knocked on the door in the full moonlight
She'd been walking all day and most of the night
And he opened the door, she was a beautiful sight
The sheriff let her in and she told him a tale
Of a town in need of help before their crops fail
Oh what could they do, they said I had to find you

Chorus:
Sheriff Experiment can you save our town
The horses won't run at all, they just stand around
Our crops in the fields will die if they don't get plowed
Sheriff Experiment can you save our town

The first thing he did was study all night
Everything about horses that he could find
He learned animals act strange, what they eat that make the change
He made sure to record everything in detail
Explained he would test every plant in the field
Why are the horses sick, finding out will do the trick
Chorus:

He brought in some horses from far away
He only fed them the finest hay
It was the control just to be sure
There wasn't something else they had to cure

The people of the town went out in the fields
Separated the plants that grew out there
Each horse will eat just one, we'll see which ones start to run
All the variables had to be the same
Only different plants could be the change
In separate pens, the experiment can begin

In just a few days they let the horses out
And most of them started to run all about
Except for just a few and so the town's people knew
Exactly what plant made the horses sick
So they removed all those plants and that did the trick
And the town was saved, the sheriff rode away