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If you see me hangin' with a cardboard sign Playin' my guitar for a bottle of wine It's better than a 9 to 5 Don't have to listen to somebody else's jive

I'll live of nothing but my dreams so bright Of havin' my name up there in lights But I'm no pro, I just clown around 'Cause you see, that's what I found

To take life serious is just a joke That can only work for the common folk 'Cause there's no reason or rhyme To our limited time

Here on this God forsaken earth And for whatever its worth I'll do my song and dance with a smile And forget about my sorrow for a while

Curiosity will fuel my drive Cause I'm doomed to seek the new in life And throw away what I already know Let the music take me where it wants to go

Don't have the balls to hit the road But I'm strong enough for the heavy load

And if you think I'm joking You might be right I'll always bet the house I won't bargain away my life

What I do, don't give it a name Can't keep me hostage in your brain I am what I am and I do what I do I can only hope You do the same thing too