There is a house in New Orleans
They call the Rising Sun
And it's been the ruin of many poor souls
And lord, my father is the one

My mother, she's a tailor She sews those blue blue jeans Keep my gambling father drunk Deep down in New Orleans

It's a happy, happy, happy, happy, fun day, day

Like a bird flying over forest fire My father feels the heat beneath his wings And in debt he yields for another tower Where he gambles and drunk he still drinks

My mother hides from pleasure Sees the father on her knees Left it in the arms of God Away from New Orleans

Happy, happy, happy, happy, fun day, day Happy, happy, happy, happy, fun day, day