

## Sidewalks Of Chicago

Ferlin Husky

This Levi's that I'm wearin' have been good to me  
They just won't admit they're growin' old  
Though my shirt's made contract with a gutter now and then  
At least it keeps my body from the cold  
Thank God the folks back home in Harlan County  
Can't see what success has done for me  
Would you believe that kids in Harlan High School voted me most  
likely to successeed  
Now I'm walking on the sidewalks of Chicago  
If I buy the bread I can't afford the wine  
Now I'm walking on the sidewalks of Chicago wishing I had lived  
some other time

I wasn't here too long before I met her the lady really swept me  
off my feet  
She stayed just long enough for me to love her  
And now they're sweepin' me up off the street  
My mama thinks I've really hit the big time  
She's written every day since I've been gone  
She don't know hat 109 East Charlotte is the adress of the West  
Side Mission Home  
Now I'm walking on the sidewalks...