You're always askin' me for money You think it's growin' on the trees I don't think that you're so funny Can't you see when a man is on his knees

These are hard times, baby These are hard times, baby These are hard times, baby, Getting harder all the time

You're always leavin' me so lonely
So you can run all over town
I used to be your one and only
But now I see, you would kick me when I'm down

These are hard times, baby These are hard times, baby These are hard times, baby, Getting harder all the time Yes, they are

Well, now I've run right out of money
You're telling me this time we're through
You better watch behind you, honey
Cause all your trouble's gonna catch right up with you

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These are hard times, baby, Getting harder all the time.