All right people, step right up Don't be afraid to throw that change Me and my buddy gonna play you a tune Goes something like this I got a friend that lives in the city, in New York City Puts a brown bag under his arm Walks down the street till he gets into a big box Crawls inside and has a sea, t in a cardboard box In the city, New York City stop Two, three, four He always finds the cheap wine Its liquid heat but it makes a meal Finally takes a drink and he shakes his head No, life's not pretty in the city, New York City Life's ladder is so hard to climb So won't you spare a moment of your time I'll do a dance, sing you a rhyme And say, 'Hey mister, can you spare a dime?' Well, I'm standing on the edge of insanity Looking over the edge Things look greener on the other side Sit around and worry about things Wonder why, till I literally breakdown and cry And it seems as though I've reached out And slapped the world on the balls Grabbed it by the throat Slammed it up against the wall Life's ladder is so hard to climb So won't you spare a moment of your time I'll do a dance, sing you a rhyme And say, 'Hey mister, can you spare a dime?' Take it on back to Georgia boys, yeah Mr Worley So if you're looking down on me Don't like what you see I've been around a time or two And I'll make a fool of you And so what if I reached out And slapped the world on the balls Grab me by the throat And slam me up against the wall Life's ladder is so hard to climb So won't you spare a moment of your time I'll do a dance, sing you a rhyme And say, hey mister, hey mister Life's ladder is so hard to climb So won't you spare a moment of your time I'll do a dance, sing you a rhyme And say, 'Hey mister, hHey mister, hey mister, can you spare a dime' Give it up