Gatsby's Restaurant

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I got tired of New York City, of its sidewalks and its heat So I got myself a great big horse and I rode him down the stree t. And then I hollered, hi, ho, Silver and, get 'em up, Scout But I suffered aggravation and a great humiliation So I finally said I'd let the story out You can't ride a big white horse into the front of Gatsby's doo r You can't call out, hi, ho, Silver as you scoot across the floo Twenty big Italians had me bent down on my knees And I cried, oh, ouch, help Lord, and Mama mia, please Well, he broke into a cantor down around ol' Times Square And my cowboy boots and hat, I left them somewhere way back the re Then he stomped and reared and turned and bucked and took off t o the South And I slid through Gatsby's Restaurant with his tail stuck in m y mouth. But you can't ride a big white horse into the front of Gatsby's door You don't call out, hi, ho, Silver as you scoot across the floo Twenty big Italians had me bent down on my knees And I cried, oh, ouch, help Lord, and Mama mia, please Now, down at Gatsby's Restaurant, there's a picture hanging the re Of a petrified Italian with escargot in his hair And there's a big, white horse rug lying by the door And I'm washing dishes in the back and sweepin' up the floor But you don't ride a big, white horse into the front of Gatsby' s door You don't call out, hi, ho, Silver as you scoot across the floo r Twenty big Italians had me bent down on my knees And I cried, oh, ouch, help Lord, and Mama mia, please