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Love's sinking in the sand
Petals falling on demand
My feet are running like the wind
I'm sorry, boy - that we sinned
Love is not like they say
A lie, that it's hard to make it stay
It drowns my feelings in the sea
I dried out over on the beach

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Father, tell me how it is
I know you've been through all of this
You ran away so many times
Your kid, your heart, a couple of dimes
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