## I Didn't Mean to Be Mean

## **Mental As Anything**

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It's a strain to maintain that loving feeling Even when you say, "Don't be cruel" People being what they are, there's danger There's gun battles in the suburbs

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Now I wouldn't say I was no saint
But there are worse things that I ain't
My old mum will stand by me
And she's as true as she can be

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