Son Of A Bum

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Well I was born in a tumbled down shack one quarter of a mile f rom a railroad track Mama was a drifter and daddy was a bum and they didn't want a l ittle hobo son But things do happen and here I am just outside of Birmingham Train's slowin' down and I'm gonna jump up I'm gonna spread my wings and look all about Give me the whip of the whippoorwill a whippin' it up on the lo nely hill Give me the sun the stars and the rain sleeky peeky wine in the blood of my veins Cause I'm a son of a bum I'm a son of a bum I'm a son of a bum son of a bum bum Free as the breeze and I'm easy to please Well fussin' and a fightin' and a goin' to war people don't kno w what's livin' for Money money that's all folks know they could learn a less on from a rich hobo

I got no worries and no regrets I got no money but I got no deb ts

Rabbit in the picket and fish in the brook and I've got my supp er if I got me a hook

Give me the whip...

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