Working Man's Wage

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I've seen mornings when a thousand bales of hay Looked like a mountain to a boy my age And I've seen my daddy in that hot southern sun Move those mountains one by one

And I've seen that same man come home from the mill Pull forty hours for a hundred-dollar bill I've watched him struggle and I've watched him age Raising a family on a working man's wage

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I pick this guitar six nights a week
Daddy can't believe they're paying me
It would be so easy to let it go to my head
But there's just one thing that I can't forget

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