When I'm gone, don't bury me I will not lie under this town I will not lie where I can't see Please don't put me underground

If the day is sunny, let my father say some words

If the night is starry, let my mother tell you all her stories

Oh my sister will bake a cake, and on it she'll write something funny

Go down to the city square and give the artists all my money

As for all that is inside You can give to medicine As for all my bones and hide Just find a fire to put 'em in

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Though I may be relatively young I hope in the final moments
I hear every song I've ever sung At once

When I'm gone don't weep and moan Where I'm going is a pleasant stay I'll visit my grandfather's home Drink gin with Billie Holiday

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Go down to the city square and give the artists all my money

When I'm gone, don't bury me
I will not lie under this dirty town
I will not lie where I can't see
Please don't put me underground
No, please don't put me under