

## Down On The Bayou

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It's been raining all day I can't go home  
The truck is stuck and the motor's blown  
Catfish cookin' at the Pine Tree Lodge  
Drink a little whiskey down at the bar  
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There's barefoot John with two left shoes  
He's got a Pabst Blue Ribbon and the gumbo blues  
He said the oils still pumping and the money's strong  
But he gave it to a woman now she's gone  
Gave it to a woman now she's gone.

I want to go home but I can't complain  
Living the life in a coonass dream  
The water's rising but it's running slow  
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I'm going to put my troubles in a frying pan  
With a Speckle belly goose and a Mallard hen  
I'm going to eat my fill and drink mine too  
Then gypsy dance with the Cajun moon  
Gypsy dance with the Cajun moon

So let me sing you a song, sing a melody  
Do the alligator stomp on top the levee  
The phones are down, I ain't heard no news  
They all washed away with the Gulf Coast blues  
Washed away with the Gulf Coast blues

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