New York City
The money sucked it dry
Pull the culture from out the streets
It's all so gentrified
Alphabet city or down on 42nd street
Or the Lower East Side
There was violence in the streets

The greatest city of them all
But it just don't feel the same
I miss the old New York
The tallest buildings in the world
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The Bowery slums
Turned into fashion boutiques
Where's all the gangs
Drug dealers and the freaks
The Big Apple has lost its taste
10 million people trying just to survive
This fucking urban waste

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The old graffiti trains Can't see out the window Gotta watch your back Or you might get jacked

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