

Penny Lane

The Beatles

1. In Penny Lane there is a barber showing photographs
of every head he's had the pleasure to know
and all the people that come and go
stop and say hello.

2. On the corner is a banker with a motorcar
the little children laugh at him behind his back
and the banker never wears a "mac"
in the pouring rain very strange.

R1: Penny Lane is in my ears and in my eyes
there beneath the blue suburban skies
I sit and meanwhile back.

3. In Penny Lane there is a fireman with an hourglass
and in his pocket is a portrait of the Queen
he likes to keep his fire engine clean
it's a clean machine.

R2: Penny Lane is in my ears and in my eyes
full of fish and finger pies
in summer meanwhile back.

4. Behind the shelter in the middle of a roundabout
the pretty nurse is selling poppies from a tray
and though she feels as if she's in a play
she is anyway.

5. In Penny Lane the barber shaves another customer
we see the banker sitting waiting for a trim
and then the fireman rushes in
from the pouring rain very strange.

R1: Penny Lane is in my ears and in my eyes...

R3: Penny Lane is in my ears and in my eyes
there beneath the blue suburban skies,
Penny Lane ...