What Are You Working For

There was a crooked man And he wore a crooked smile He built a crooked highway And it ran for miles and miles

With money from the revenue Sponsorship from Ford It barely holds together With the goodwill of the Lord

In the penthouse of the baron The little children sleep Daddy talks to smugglers While the armed gorillas creep

Poison for the great unwashed Business for the mob Another teenage murder It's just trouble on the job

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A newsleak in the city Another scandal breaks Sex and drugs in city hall Someone's on the make

Legal bounty hunters Aim their lawsuits well The victim talks to Playboy Says I guess I'll go to hell

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