Positively 4th Street

Bob Dylan

You got a lotta nerve
To say you are my friend
When I was down
You just stood there grinning

You got a lotta nerve
To say you got a helping hand to lend
You just want to be on
The side that's winning

You say I let you down You know it's not like that If you're so hurt Why then don't you show it

You say you lost your faith But that's not where it's at You had no faith to lose And you know it

I know the reason
That you talk behind my back
I used to be among the crowd
You're in with

Do you take me for such a fool To think I'd make contact With the one who tries to hide What he don't know to begin with

You see me on the street
You always act surprised
You say, "How are you?" "Good luck"
But you don't mean it

When you know as well as me You'd rather see me paralyzed Why don't you just come out once And scream it

No, I do not feel that good When I see the heartbreaks you embrace If I was a master thief Perhaps I'd rob them

And now I know you're dissatisfied With your position and your place Don't you understand It's not my problem

I wish that for just one time You could stand inside my shoes And just for that one moment I could be you

Yes, I wish that for just one time You could stand inside my shoes You'd know what a drag it is To see you