It's Only a Paper Moon

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Say, it's only a paper moon Sailing over a cardboard sky But it wouldn't be make-believe If you believed in me

Yes, it's only a canvas sky
Hanging over a muslin tree
But it wouldn't be make-believe
If you believed in me

Without your love
It's a honky-tonk parade
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It's a melody played in a penny arcade

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