

Baltimore

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Beat-up little seagull on a marble stair
Tryin' to find the ocean, looking everywhere
Hard times in the city, in a hard town by the sea
Ain't nowhere to run to, there ain't nothing here for free

Oh Baltimore,
Man, it's hard just to live
Oh Baltimore,
Man, it's hard just to live
Just to live

Hooker on the corner and waiting for a train
Drunk lyin' on the sidewalk, sleeping in the rain
And they hide their faces and they hide their eyes
'Cause the city is dying and they don't know why

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Get my sister, Sandy, and my little brother, Ray  
Buy a big old wagon to haul us all away  
Live out in the country where the mountains high  
I'm never comin' back here 'till the day I die

Oh Baltimore,  
Man, it's hard just to live  
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Just to live  
Oh Baltimore,  
Man, it's hard just to live  
Oh Baltimore, man, it's hard

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