

## (Could Be) A Country Thing, City Thing, Blues Thing

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how many days have I felt like this?  
how strong am I?  
it feels so good to be free  
and I want you to know how I feel

you take me from the madness, the awe inspiring sadness  
take me to the places where the air is clean  
fill my heart with wonder, wake me from my slumber [I've been sleepin  
g]  
toss me to the ocean like a sinking stone

could be a city thing  
could be a blues thing  
could be a country thing  
could be the real thing

took a walk over the rocks on the beach  
and I was thinking of all the things that I have and can never be  
and I was dreaming lazy along your head as  
I watched the sunset

you take me from the madness, the awe inspiring sadness  
show me faces that I need to know [I've been sinking]  
throw me to the ocean like a stone, I will just fall in [and I'll be  
drowning]  
heaven knows where this flood will go

could be a city thing  
could be a blues thing  
could be a country thing  
could be the real thing  
could be a city thing  
could be a blues thing  
could be a country thing  
could be a me thing  
think, could be a blues thing  
think, could be the real thing

you take me from the madness, the awe-  
inspiring sadness [ I've been sleeping]  
take me to the places where the air is clean [and I've been drowning]  
Fill my heart with wonder, wake me from my slumber [I've been sleepin  
g]  
back Into the ocean like a sinking stone [and I've been drowning]  
lift me out of this logic leaves my heart grounded [I've been sleepin  
g]  
take me to the places where the air is clean [and I've been drowning]

meet me at the fountain, the one standin in the garden [you come list  
ening]  
I'll wash your hands as you just dance  
stand by me

stand by me  
my, my, my, my ,my, my, you're real fine