

# Sweetheart Like You

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Well the pressure's down,  
the boss ain't here  
he's gone North for a while  
They said that vanity  
Got the best of him  
But he sure left here after sundown.  
By the way, that's a cute hat that you're wearing  
And that smile so hard to resist  
What's a sweetheart like you doing in a dump like this?

You know I once knew a woman who looked like you  
She wanted a whole man, not just a half  
She used to call me Sweet Daddy, when I was a child  
You kind of remind me of her when you laugh  
To deal in this game, you must make the queen disappear

It's done with a flick of the wrist  
What's a sweetheart like you doing in a dump like this?

You know a woman like you should be at home  
It's where you truly belong  
Watching out for someone who loves you true  
Who would never never do you no wrong  
Just how much abuse you can take? - Well,  
There's no way to tell by that first lonely kiss  
What's a sweetheart like you doing in a dump like this?

You know you could make a name of yourself  
You can hear those tyres squeal  
You can be known as the most beautiful woman  
Whoever crawled across cut glass to make a deal ...

You know the news of you has come down the line  
Even before you came in the door  
They say in your father's house there's many mansions  
Each one of them got a fire-proof floor  
Snap out of it Baby, people are jealous of you  
They smile in your face, but behind your back they hiss

What's a sweetheart like you doing in a dump like this?

Got to be an important person to come in here honey

Got to have done some evil deed  
Got to have your own harm when you come in the door  
Got to play your harp until your lips bleed ...

They say patriotism is the last refuge  
To which a scoundrel claime  
Steal a little, and they'll throw you in jail  
Steal a lot, and they'll make you a king  
There's only one step down from here Baby  
It's the land of the permanent bliss -  
So what's a sweetheart like you doing in a dump like this?