Baltimore

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Beat-up little seagull On a marble stair Tryin' to find the ocean Lookin' everywhereHard times in the city In a hard town by the sea Ain't nowhere to run to There ain't nothin' here for freeHooker on the corner Waiting for a train Drunk lying on the sidewalk Sleeping in the rain And the people hide their faces And they hide their eyes 'Cause the city's dyin' And they don't know whyAin't it hard just to live? Ain't it hard just to live? Just to liveAnd my little brother Ray Buy a big old wagon To haul us all away Live out in the country Where the mountain's high Never gonna come back here Till the day I dieAin't it hard just to live? Ain't it hard just to live? Just to live

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