Concrete and Barbed Wire

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This wall divides us
We're on two different sides
But this wall is not real
How can it be real

It's only made of concrete and barbed wireConcrete and barbed wire

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It's only made of concrete and barbed wireBack in Algiers my darling broke my heart

But he can't seem to break down this wall

With two strong hands he couldn't move it at all

And it's only made of concrete and barbed wire

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It's only made of concrete and barbed wireDown in Opelousas dogs are at the gate

And they're mean lord they're mean

There's a wall between us, but it's not what it seems

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It's only made of concrete and barbed wireSomewhere in Louisiana my sugar's doing time

But he can't spend time with me

If he could get over this wall he'd see

That it's only made of concrete and barbed wire

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