## A Night On the Town

## **Bruce Hornsby & Ricky Skaggs**

B. r. hornsby/john hornsbyVan and willie went out one night Once they get out on the road

Well then everything is alright

Had to get away from the kids and the wives

Well they ran into some city boys that didn't walk just right

And the line was drawn for another showdown

Like they'd always seen it done

And when the lights came up on the little woods town

Ther was an old man bailing out a sonGoing out for a night on the town

Going out to the smoke and trees

Going out for a night on the town

Going out for a look and see

Said do what your daddy told you

Well I just went out and did that

Van and willie went out one night

There's a green table down at the midway

Where they rack up the balls for the games

And reputations are made

There's a green forest full of oaks and pines

Where they cleared a cleared a space in the middle

Where secret scores are settled

And the claim was made round the table that night

And they rode off through the trees

And the young boys tell how the city boys tried

And how one man fell to his kneesGoing out for a night on the town

Going out to the smoke and trees

Going out for a night on the town

Going out for a look and see

Said what made you go and do that

Well we were just having a little fun

Van and willie went out one night

And the line was drawn for another showdown

Like they'd always seen and done

And one mans night for a drunken old time

Left a scar on on another oneGoing out for a night on the town

Going out to the smoke and trees

Going out for a night on the town

Going out for a look and see

Said do what your daddy told you

Well I just went out and did that

Van and willie went out one night

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