I'll Never Get Out Of This World Alive

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Now you're lookin' at a man that's gettin' kind-a mad
I had lot's of luck but it's all been bad
No matter how I struggle and strive

I'll never get out of this world aliveMy fishin' pole's broke the creek is full of sand

My woman run away with another man

No matter how I struggle and strive

I'll never get out of this world aliveA distant uncle passed away and left me quite a batch

And I was living high until that fatal day

A lawyer proved I wasn't born

I was only hatchedEverything's against me and it's got me down

If I jumped in the river, I would probably drown

No matter how I struggle and strive

I'll never get out of this world aliveThese shabby shoes I'm wearin' all the time

Are full of holes and nails

And brother if I stepped on a worn out dime

I bet a nickel, I could tell you if it was heads or tails I'm not gonna worry wrinkles in my brow

'Cause nothin's ever gonna be alright nohow

No matter how I struggle and strive

I'll never get out of this world alive

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