

# Diamonds & Gold

Tom Waits

The broken glass  
And the rusty nails  
Where the violets grow  
Say goodbye to the railroad  
And the mad dogs of summer  
And everything that I know  
Chorus:  
What some men will do here for diamonds  
What some men will do here for gold  
They're wounded but they just keep on climbin'  
And they sleep by the side of the road  
There's a hole in the ladder  
A fence we can climb  
Mad as a hatter  
You're thin as a dime  
Go out to the meadow  
The hills are agreen  
Sing me a rainbow  
Steal me a dream  
Small time Napoleons  
Shattered his knees  
But he stays in the saddle for Rose  
And all his disciples  
They shave in the gutter  
And gather what's left of his clothers

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