

# Nobody Knows You When You're Down And Out

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Once I lived the life of a millionaire  
Spending my money, with never a care  
Takin' all my friends out for a good time  
Drinkin' high-priced liquor, champagne and wine;  
Then I began to fall so low;  
Didn't have a friend, and no place to go  
If I ever get my hands on a dollar again  
I'm gonna squeeze it, until the eagle grins, cause

Nobody knows you when you're down and out.  
In your pocket, not one penny  
And your friends you find you haven't any.  
But as soon as you get back on your feet again  
Everybody wants to be your long-lost friend  
It's might strange, without a doubt  
Nobody knows you when you're down and out.

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