## Central Park n' West (2000 Remaster)

## **Ian Hunter**

The Gulf and Western Garbage just ain't the prettiest smell
When you're sleeping on the 4th floor up, it's like a living hell
New York's finest rounding up the bums, the firemen get no rest
And ambulances signal death on Central Park 'n' WestNow there ain't no sheets upon my bed, just a mattress
and some wine

The rain is pouring through the night and I'm glad my life is mine

When Frank Carrillo plays guitar, trying to get it off his chest

peeds tonight on Central Park 'n' West And I think. I think. I think. I think. I think. I think. I think.

He gets the words he needs tonight on Central Park 'n' WestAnd I think, I think, I think, I think, I think, I think it's the best

When I'm locked in the middle of New York City on Central Park 'n' West

And I know, I know, I know, I know it's a mess

But you've got to be crazy to live in the city and New York City's the bestAnd we all want just someone just like me in the city we call home

She leaves me sometimes when I write, 'cause I write better on my own

Bag ladies take my dollars, put my conscience to the test

But waitresses give me coffee free on Central Park 'n' WestSo sing soul woman, sing the songs it's time to sing them now

I'm getting more than high from hearin' 'em, don't sing them quiet
Sing them loud for you sang with the best of them
But now you're just a guest

I tell you we'll get a hotel room on Central Park 'n' West'Cause I think, I think, I think, I think, I think, I think it's the best

When I'm locked in the middle of New York City on Central Park 'n' West And I know, I know, I know, I know, I know it's a mess But you've got to be crazy to live in the city, and New York City's the best

I know, I know, I know, I know, oh yeahI think, I think, I think, I think it's the best

When I'm locked in the middle of New York City on Central Park 'n' West

I know, I know, I know, I know it's a mess

But you've got to be crazy to live in the city and New York City's the best

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