Maggies Farm

Toots Hibbert

I ain't gonna work on

Maggie's farm, no more

No, I ain't gonna work on

Maggie's farm, no moreWell, I wake up in the morning

Fold my hands and pray for rain

I got a head full of ideas

That are drivin' me insaneIt's a shame the way she makes me scrub the floor

I ain't gonna work on, nah

I ain't gonna work on

Maggie's farm no moreI ain't gonna work for

Maggie's brother, no more

Nah, I ain't gonna work for

Maggie's brother, no moreWell, he hands you a nickel

And he hands you a dime

And he asks you with a grin

If you're havin' a good timeThen he fines you every time you slam the door

I ain't gonna work for, nah

I ain't gonna work for

Maggie's brother, no moreI ain't gonna work for

Maggie's pa, no more

No, I ain't gonna work for

Maggie's pa, no moreWell, he puts his cigar

Out in your face just for kicks

His bedroom window

It is made out of bricksThe National Guard stands around his door

I ain't gonna work for, nah

I ain't gonna work for

Maggie's pa, no moreI ain't gonna work for

Maggie's ma, no more

No, I ain't gonna work for

Maggie's ma, no moreWell, she talks to all the servants

About man and God and law

And everybody says

Shes the brains behind paShes sixty-eight but she says she's twenty-four

I ain't gonna work for, nah

I ain't gonna work for

Maggie's ma, no moreI ain't gonna work on

Maggie's farm, no more

No, I ain't gonna work on

Maggie's farm, no moreWell, I try my best

To be just like I am

But everybody wants you

To be just like themThey sing while they slave and they just get bored

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Maggie's farm, no more

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