

# 5 Long Years

## Otis Spann

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I worked five long years for one woman, she had the nerve to put me out.I got a job in a steel mill, shucking steel like a slave.

Five long years, every Friday I come straight back home with all my pay.

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I worked five long years for one woman, she had the nerve to put me out.I finally learned my lesson, should a long time ago.

The next woman that I marry, she gonna work and bring me the dough.

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