Filipino Box Spring Hog

Tom Waits

Well I hung on to Mary's stump
I danced with a soldier's glee
With a rum soaked crook
And a big fat laugh
I spent my last dollar on thee
I saw Bill Bones, gave him a yell
Kehoe spiked the nog
With a chain link fence
And a scrap iron jaw
Cookin up a Filipino Box Spring hog
Spider rolled in from

Spider rolled in from Hollister Burn

With a one-eyed stolen Mare
Donned himself with chicken fat
Sawin on a jaw bone violin there
Kathleen was sittin down
In little reds recovery room
In her criminal underwear bra
I was naked to the waist
With my fierce black hound

And I'm cookin up a Filipino Box Spring Hog
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Cookin up a Filipino Box Spring HogDig a big pit in a dirt alley road
Fill it with modrone and box

Fill it with madrone and bay

Stinks like hell

And the neighbors complain

Don't give a hoot what they say

Slap that hog

Gotta roll em over twice

Baste him with a sweeping broom

You gotta swat them flies

And chain up the dogs

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Cookin up a Filipino Box Spring HogRattle snake piccata with grapes and figs

Old brown Betty with a yellow wig

Tain't the mince meat filagree

And it ain't the turkey neck stew

And it ain't them bruleed

Okra seeds though she

Made them especially for you
Worse won a prize for her
Bottom black pie
The beans got to thrown to the dogs
Jaheseus Christ I can always
Make room when they're
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