

# The Dog Song

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I'm just a walkin' my dog  
Singin' my song, strollin' along  
It's just me and my dog, catchin' some sun  
We can't go wrong My life was lonely and blue  
Yeah I was sad as a sailor  
I was an angry 'un too then there was you  
Appeared, when I was entangled With youth, and fear, and nerves  
Jingle jangled vermouth and beer  
Were gettin' me mangled up But then I looked in your eyes  
And I was no more a failure  
You looked so wacky and wise  
And I said, Lord I'm happy 'Cause I'm just a walkin' my dog  
Singin' my song, strollin' along  
It's just me and my dog, catchin' some sun  
We can't go wrong 'Cause I don't care 'bout your  
Hatin' and your doubt and I don't care  
What the politicians spout If you need a companion  
Well just go right to the pound  
And find yourself a hound  
And make that doggie proud  
'Cause that's what it's all about My life was tragic and sad  
I was the archetypal loser  
I was a pageant gone bad Then there was you on time  
And wagging your tail  
In the cutest mime  
And you was in jail I said woof, be mine  
And you gave a wail  
And then I was no longer alone  
And I was no more a boozer We'll make the happiest home  
And I said Lord I'm happy  
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That's what it's all about  
That's what it's all about That's what it's all about, wow, wow  
That's what it's all about  
(Pant, pant, pant, pant, pant)  
Good dog

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