

# 1941

## Harry Nilsson

Well, in 1941 a happy father had a son  
And by 1944, father walks right out the door  
And in '45 the mom and son were still alive  
But who could tell in '46 if the two were to survive  
Well, the years were passing quickly but not fast enough for  
him  
So he close his eyes through '55 then he opened them up again  
When he looked around he saw a clown and the clown seemed very gay  
And he set that night to join that circus clown and run away  
Well, he followed every railroad track and every  
highway sign  
And he had a girl in each new town and the towns he left behind  
And the open road was the only road he knew  
But the color of his dreams were slowly turning into blue  
The he met a girl, the kind of girl he wanted all his life  
She was soft and kind and good to him so he took her for his wife  
And they got a house not far from town and in a little while  
The girl had seen the doctor and she came home with a smile  
Now in 1961 a happy father had a son  
And by 1964 the father walks right out the door  
And in '65 the mom and son were still around  
But what will happen to the boy when the circus comes to town?

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