

# West Nashville Boogie

Steve Earle

I was born in the city  
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And I was raised up right around hereDaddy's down in the workhouse  
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Mama say ain't no way he's coming back hereWent to school with some rich kids  
Went to school with some rich kids  
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Bussed me half way across townCall us white trash and no count  
Call us white trash and no count  
Call us white trash and no count  
Say there wasn't no use in me staying roundI'm goin' down to the corner  
I'm goin' down to the corner  
I'm goin' down to the corner  
Don't you wait for me to come inNothin' happens till midnight  
Nothin' ever happens till midnight  
Nothin' happens till midnight  
The boys get restless bout thenSometimes I feel like I'm drowning  
Sometimes I feel like I'm drowning  
Sometimes I feel like I'm drowning  
And I don't know what I'm gonna doI got a razor in my pocket  
I got a razor in my pocket  
I got a razor in my pocket and  
I got a pistol hid down by the schoolLord get me out of West Nashville  
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