Texas, The Weight

I pulled into Nazareth, I was feeling 'bout half past dead I just need some place where I can lay my head ``Hey mister, can you tell me where a man might find a bed?" He just grinned and shook my hand, ``No" was all he said

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And you put the load right on me

I picked up my bags, I went looking for a place to hide When I saw Carmen and the Devil walking side by side I said ``Hey Carmen, come on, let's go downtown" She said ``I gotta go but my friend can stick around"

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Go down Moses, there's nothing you can say It's just old Luke, and Luke's waiting on the judgement day ``Well, Luke my friend, what about young Anna-Lee?" He said ``Do me a favour son, won't you stay and keep Anna-Lee company?"

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Crazy Chester followed me and he caught me in the fog He said ``I will fix your rat if you'll take Jack my dog" I said ``Wait a minute Chester, you know I'm a peaceful man" He said ``That's okay boy, won't you feed him when you can?"

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Catch a cannonball now to take me down the line My bag is sinking low and I do believe it's time To get back to Miss Fanny, you know she's the only one Who sent me here with her regards for everyone

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