

# Dean Strickland, I'm Glad

I'm glad if you're happy to see me  
But I don't care if you're not

To those who don't believe my story  
That walkin' hundreds of miles to here's how I got

To be here in Texarkana  
And play my music on this here stage

Or that I got my edumacation  
From some of the best schools in the USA

Or maybe you don't like my music  
That I write so simple and basic

Or you wish I'd play more rock n country  
Or whatever you call that shit

Spoken:

These here words were inspired by a newspaper editor I called asking for a story while hitchhiking. I told him I had recently made my way back to Texas from LA, and that soon I'd be walkin' my way. The man told me that after thorough research he didn't believe my story, or that I was even educated.

Well, I found out he didn't do the research he said he had, and soon after that I wrote this here song.

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