

# Jackie Lomax, Thumbin' A Ride

I had myself a day job  
Pumpin' gasoline  
A dollar a day is all they pay  
And I just can't make that scene

That's why I'm thumbin' a ride  
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On the road

If I could find some money  
I'd straighten out right quick  
But every time I get a dime  
I spend it on some chick

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I'm walking down the highway  
Sweating like salt pork  
I'm putting down this country town  
'Cause my soul's up in New York

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Words and music by Jerry Leiber and Mike Stoller