

# Jim Croce, Careful Man

I don't gamble, I don't fight,  
I don't be hangin' in the bars at night,  
Yeah, I used to be a fighter but  
Now I am a wiser man.

I don't drink much, I don't smoke,  
I don't be hardly mess around with no dope.  
Yeah, I used to be a problem but  
Now I am a careful man.

But if you used to want to see a commotion,  
You shoulda seen the man that I used to be,  
I was trouble in perpetual motion,  
Trouble with a capital "T";

Stayin' out late, havin' fun  
And shot off every single shot in my gun.  
Yeah, I used to be a lover but  
Now I'm an older man.

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You shoulda seen the man that I used to be,  
I was trouble in perpetual motion,  
Trouble with a capital "T";

Stayin' out late, havin' fun  
And shot off every single shot in my gun.  
Yeah I used to be a terror but  
Now I am a tired old man.  
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