

Nanci Griffith, Workin' In Corners

It's a southern road west of New Orleans
I'm fightin' off a cold
from these winter rounds
Houston
She's just around the corner
But I think I'll stop off here in Lafayette
Lord and have me another round

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Pullin' down whiskey
Keepin' my eyes away from the lights
I'll never be a fool but I will gamble foolishly
I've never let go of love
till I lost it in my dreams
I don't want to go to sleep
'Cause I just might dream

I'm stronger now, there was a man in my hometown
He sang so pretty
I'm glad he turned my head around
But I'd forgotten how to play a one night stand
Lord I didn't have a word to say
Just holdin' that stranger's hand

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These city streets at five in the mornin'
I would've stopped to phone you
but I'm almost home
At my back door
there's a porch light that's shinin'
I just don't mind livin' here by myself
If I leave it on

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Don't want to go to sleep
You know I sure can dream
And I sure can dream
Sure can dream