

# Steppenwolf, I'm Going Upstairs

I'm Going Upstairs

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I'm goin' upstairs, and bring down all of my clothes  
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Where I go baby, you will never know

My mother dead and gone, my father don't want me around  
My mother dead and gone, my father don't want me around  
Don't you know baby, I ain't got no place to go

You know, you know, you don't want me no more  
(spoken: no you don't)  
You know, you know, baby you don't want me no more  
You can love babe, with your younger stud, baby  
Ho-ho-ho-ho-ho

Got a house on the water, you know I don't need no land  
(spoken: Have mercy on me)  
Got a house on the water, you know I don't need no land,  
When I'm dead and gone, bury me in the deep blue sea  
Hmm-mmm, ho-ho-ho-ho-ho