

Toe Hold

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All my life I've been a poor boy; it's been hard to get a dime
Everything I got I had to pay for it on time, but that's all ri
ght

Long as I got a toe hold, long as I got a piece of you

Long as I got a toe hold, I can make it through

Look here, I said I went to see a doctor, baby talk about his m
alnutrition

Now I don't try to be a fat man; I gotta look about my ambition
, look here

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Long as I got a toe hold, I can make it through

A li-li-li-li-li-li-li-li toe hold, a li-li-li-li-li-li-li-
li toe hold, hey!

So baby, if you're with me, let the whole world be against me

I don't expect to ever get rich, I'm doin' fine, me diggin' a d
itch; that's all right

Long as I got a toe hold, long as I got a piece of you

Long as I got a toe hold, I can make it through

Ah, ooo baby, ow, good God!

(& other interjections, fading out)