One More River to Cross

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Freddie said he came from a small town Known as the number one boy He and Maria were courtin' Their hearts were filled with joy

But Freddie ran off to the city To have himself a good time You know, had such fun in the city He left poor Maria behind

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Freddie began to read a lot To see how things should be Ran into a policeman Taste the bitter fruit from the tree

Freddie loved that child, Maria He certainly loved to live Folks said they'd already all told him But he'd take what he'd loved to give

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