The Mountain

Her daddy lost most everything On horses, whiskey, and wedding rings A little work and luck my friend I'm gonna buy that mountain back again

California to Tennessee Fortune has not yet found me Empty hands and leather skin Won't buy that mountain back again

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When my home again I see Gonna buy that mountain for you and me Uphill I'll make the rivers climb You can swim with the stars in the fading light Sleep by the river on that mountain high

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Gonna buy that mountain back for you Work these roads until I do