

# What Have They Done to My Town

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What have they done to my town  
Is this the place I used to know?  
No friendly faces as I look around  
I guess they moved out long ago  
What have they done to my town  
Where are the fields I used to run?  
It seems they've covered every piece of ground  
With buildings oh so high they hide the sun  
And there's a freeway where the playground used to be  
The park has gone, my God, they haven't left a tree  
The birds have flown away, they had no place to fly  
And the seven forty sevens took away the sky  
What have they done to my town?  
The world has changed before my eyes  
I just don't know the streets I wander down  
It's just the names I recognize  
I guess I stayed away too long  
Perhaps my coming back was wrong  
I'm just a stranger with a memory  
So it makes no sense to hang around  
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