

Walking in Memphis

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Put on my blue suede shoes
And I boarded the plane
Touched down in the land of the Delta Blues
In the middle of the pouring rain.
W.C. Handy - won't you look down over me
Yeah I've got a first class ticket
But I'm as blue as a boy can be

Refrain où le chœur intervient :

Then I'm walking in Memphis
Walking with my feet ten feet off of Beale
Walking in Memphis but do I really feel the way I feel ?

Saw the ghost of Elvis on Union Avenue
Followed him up to the gates of Graceland
Then I watched him walk right through
Now security they did not see him
They just hovered' round his tomb
But there 's a pretty little thing waiting for the king
Down in the jungle room

Refrain

They've got catfish on the table (choeur)
They've got gospel in the air (choeur)
And Reverend Green be glad to see you
When you haven't got to prayer
But boy you're got a prayer in Memphis
Now Muriel plays piano every friday at the Hollywood
And they brought me down to see her
And they asked me if I would
Do a little number and I sang with all my might and she say -
« Tell me are you a Christian child ? »
And I said « ma'an I am tonight ».

Refrain (2 fois)

Et, reprise au début :

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Touched down in the land of the Delta Blues) 2 fois où le chœur intervient à la
In the middle of the pouring rain) fin de la phrase