

The Wanderer
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Tune down half a step

Intro **C C F**

C

I went out walking through the streets paved with gold

F

Lifted some stones

F

Saw the skin and bones

C

Of a city without a soul

C

I went out walking under an atomic sky

F

Where the ground wont turn and the rain it burns

C

Like the tears when I said goodbye

Am

F

Yeah I went with nothing

C

G

Nothing but the thought of you

Am

F

C

G

I went wandering

I went drifting through the capitals of tin

Where men cant walk

Or freely talk

And sons turn their fathers in

I stopped outside a church house

Where the citizens like to sit

They say they want the kingdom

But they dont want God in it

I went out riding

Down that ol eight lane

I passed by a thousand signs

Looking for my own name

I went with nothing

But the thought youd be there too

Looking for you

I went out there

In search of experience

To taste and to touch

And to feel as much
As a man can
Before he repents

I went out searching, lookin for one good man
A spirit who would not bend or break
Who would sit at his fathers right hand
I went out walking with a Bible and a gun
The word of God lay heavy on my heart
I was sure I was the one
Now jesus, dont you wait up
Jesus, Ill be home soon
Yeah I went out for the papers
Told her Id be back by noon

Yeah I left with nothing
But the thought youd be there too
Looking for you...
Yeah I left with nothing
Nothing but the thought of you...
I went wandering