

DOWN ON THE CORNER

1. Early in the evening
just about supper time,
Over by the courthouse
they're starting to unwind.
Four kids on the corner
trying to bring you up.
Willy picks a tune out
and he blows it on the harp.

Ref: Down on the corner, out in the street,
Willy and the poorboys are playin;
Bring a nickel; tap your feet.

2. Rooster hits the washboard
and people just got to smile,
Blinky thumps the gut bass
and solos for a while.
Poorboy twangs the rhythm out
on his kalamazoo.
Willy goes into a dance and doubles on kazoo.

3. You dont need a penny
just to hang around,
But if you've got a nickel,
wont you lay your money down?
Over on the corner there's a happy noise.
People come from all around
to watch the magic boys.