



## *I Used to Worry*

I used to worry where all of my money had gone  
Until I wound up with nothing to spend my money on  
I used to guard my time like diamonds and pearls  
Until I wound up with nothing  
but all of the time in the world

*Just to think I used to worry about things like that  
I was so worried about the rich and skinny  
You know I wound up poor and fat  
So nowadays I kinda worry where my mind's been at  
Just to think I used to worry about things like that*

I used to worry about making the grade  
Hanging out with the right kinda people and  
Playing their games  
I'd throw a party and they'd be wall to wall  
But in a lonely minute I had no one to call

*Just to think I used to worry about things like that  
Used to worry 'bout rich and skinny  
Till I wound up poor and fat  
Nowadays I kinda worry where my mind's been at  
Just to think I used to worry about things like that*

Just to think I  
Can't believe I used to worry

I used to worry where my money had gone  
Until I wound up with nothing to spend that money on

*Just to think I used to worry about things like that  
I was so worried about the rich and skinny  
Till I wound up poor and fat  
So nowadays I kinda worry where my mind's been at  
Just to think I used to worry about things like that  
Can't believe I used to worry about things like that  
Don't want to think I ever worried about things like that*

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This was written one evening while frying up shrimp with one of my dearest friends in this world, Scott Miller. It wound up being recorded by a musical hero of ours and everybody else's - one Delbert McClinton. Another friend and fellow songwriter who I've known since I moved here back in 1986, Garth Brooks, came in and sang the fool out of this version of mine. If I thought for even a moment that there was some correlation between shrimp and all the good things that this song has seen happen to it, I would eat nothing else.

Milton Sledge - drums/conga  
Scott Kinsey - bass  
Dan Dugmore - lap steel  
George Marinelli, Jr. -  
electric guitar  
Pete Wasner - piano, B-3  
Kirk "Jellyroll" Johnson - harmonica  
Garth Brooks - guest vocal