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# Brother, Can You Spare A Dime?

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## VERSE

1 They used to tell me I was build - ing a dream, 2 And so I fol - lowed the mob 3 the mob

5 When there was earth to plough or guns to bear I was al - ways there right there on the job. 6 there on the job 7 8 there on the job

9 They used to tell me I was build - ing a dream 10 With peace and glo - ry a - head 11 Why should 12

13 I be stand - ing in line 14 just wait - ing for bread? 15 just 16 for bread

CHORUS

17 Once I built a rail - road, 18 made it run, 19 Made it race a - gainst time. 20 a - gainst time

21 Once I built a rail - road, 22 Now it's done 23 Broth - er can you spare a dime, spare a dime? 24 dime?

25 Once I built a tow - er, 26 to the sun. 27 Brick and ri - vet and 28 lime,

29 Once I built a tow - er, 30 Now it's done, 31 Broth - er, can you spare a 32 just one dime? dime?

33 Once in kha - ki suits 34 Gee, we looked fine! 35 Full of that Yan - kee Doo - dle - de - dum. 36 ta ta ta tum tum

Handwritten annotations: *rit* above measure 40.

Lyrics:  
 Half a mil - lion men went up to the line, I was the kid with the drum.  
 tum tum tum tum  
 tum ta ta tum tum tum ta ta tum tum tum ta ta tum tum tum tum tum tum

Handwritten annotations: *mp* above measure 41.

Lyrics:  
 Say don't you re - mem - ber, they called me Al, It was Al all the time.

Lyrics:  
 Say, don't you re - mem - ber I'm your Pal, Bud - dy, can you spare a dime?

Handwritten annotations: *mf* above measure 49.

Lyrics:  
 Why, don't you re - mem - ber we were Pals! Bud - dy, can you spare a dime?  
 can you spare a dime?  
 can you spare a dime?

