

**Costello Elvis****"Pony Street"**

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She lives on Pony St.  
And they should scatter flowers at her feet  
But when they come calling I think it's appalling  
They're sober and they're polite  
They're deeply respectful when I would expect them  
To keep her out all night

That little martinet  
Will get her own way yet  
If you need instruction in mindless destruction  
I'll show you a thing or two  
You used to adore me but now my life flashes before  
me  
For you to view

Oh mother, oh mother, sometimes you are so  
mortifying  
>From the hole in your leopard-skin tights I can tell  
you've been spying  
But your generation confesses before it transgresses  
Those Super-8 movies of daddy in your disco dresses

If you're going out tonight  
I won't wait up  
Reading \_Das Kapital\_  
Watching Home Shopping Club  
While you're flogging a dead horse  
All the way down Pony St.  
Where you live after a fashion  
All the way down Pony St.  
We're laughing at some favorite indiscretion  
That lives on, that lives on, that lives on  
Pony Street

Daughter, oh daughter, you know I will love you forever  
Spare me the white ankle socks with the lace and the  
leather  
But you and your cartoon threat do no good to resist  
me  
For I am the genuine thing but to you its just history

If you're going out tonight  
How can you be sure  
Where you lay your pretty head  
Mother may have come before  
So you're flogging a dead horse  
All the way down Pony St.  
Where you live after a fashion  
All the way down Pony St.  
We're laughing a some favorite indiscretion  
That lives on (x5)  
She lives on Pony Street (x2)  
She lives on, she lives on (x2)

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