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"Queen Of The Silver Dollar"

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(Shel Silverstein)

She's the queen of the Silver Dollar, and she rules this
smokey kingdom
And her sceptre is a wine glass and a bar-stool is her
throne
And the jesters, they flock around her, and they fight to
win her favours
And see which one will take the queen of the Silver
Dollar home

She arrives in all her splendour every night at nine
o'clock
And her chariot is a cross-town bus that stops right
down the block
The ol' piano minstrel plays a song as she walks in
And the queen of the Silver Dollar, she's home again

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Her royal gown is a satin dress, that's stained and
slightly torn
And her sparkling jewels are rhinestones, and her
shoes are scuffed and worn
From the many roads she's travelled and the
wonderous sights she's seen
And I watch her and I pray God save the queen

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The queen of the Silver Dollar is not as haughty as she
seems

She was once an ordinary girl with ordinary dreams
But I found her and I won her, and I brought her to this
world

Yes I'm the man who made a queen of a simple country
girl

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