

## **Kris Kristofferson**

# **"Gettin' By, High And Strange"**

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New York City was a stich in time when I stood all I  
could of LA  
Patchin' up the pieces of my tangled mind diggin'  
somethin' different every day yeah  
Soon as I was better I was movin' on gettin' it together  
gettin' good and gone  
And by (gettin' by) high (good and high) and strange  
(gonna get some strange)

New ain't nothin' but a state of mind  
Keeps a man from missin' what he left behind  
I'll take anything that I can find anyhow anywhere  
anyway anytime  
I'll keep livin' till the day I die as long as I can get it up  
for one more try  
Gettin' by (gettin' by) high (good and high) and strange  
(gonna get some strange)

[ guitar ]

New ain't nothin' but a state of mind...  
(Gettin' by good and high) and strange (gonna get  
some strange)

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