

## The Black Crowes

# "There's Gold In Them Hills"

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On the first day of winter  
I was set to leave  
With the lost awe of true love in my eye  
The wild frontier outlaws and thieves  
To find me a mountain in the sky

There's gold in them hills  
I heard the man cry  
There's gold in them hills  
For the taking  
It's a one-way ticket down a river of lies  
There's gold in them hills  
If you make it

On the last day of spring  
I first saw the sea  
A poor boy with good luck on my side  
Ready for riches  
I rolled up my sleeve  
And took my first step down my life

Had my wallet same old pocket  
Sixteen dollars brand new shoes  
Empty bottles sad turned daughters  
What's a country boy to do

Tell dear mother that I miss her  
But things are different now  
There's nothing I can do  
Your dark haired son is now long gone  
Remember me  
When you stare at the moon

I've broken my heart  
Diamonds and gold  
Through scandal through madness through cold  
All I have left is this grey in my beard  
This mountain and the stories that I've told

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