

Steppenwolf

"I'm Going Upstairs"

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by John Lee Hooker

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I'm goin' upstairs, and bring down all of my clothes
I'm goin' upstairs, and bring down all of my clothes
Where I go baby, you will never know

My mother dead and gone, my father don't want me
around

My mother dead and gone, my father don't want me
around

Don't you know baby, I ain't got no place to go

You know, you know, you don't want me no more
(spoken: no you don't)

You know, you know, baby you don't want me no more

You can love babe, with your younger stud, baby

Ho-ho-ho-ho-ho

Got a house on the water, you know I don't need no
land

(spoken: Have mercy on me)

Got a house on the water, you know I don't need no
land,

When I'm dead and gone, bury me in the deep blue sea

Hmm-mmm, ho-ho-ho-ho-ho

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