

## **Jennings Waylon**

### **"He Went To Paris"**

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#### Verse 1:

He went to Paris lookin' for answers to questions  
That bothered him so  
He was impressive, young and aggressive  
Savin' the world on his own  
Warm summer breezes, French wine and cheeses  
Put his ambition at bay  
The summers and winters scattered like splinters  
And four or five years slipped away

#### Verse 2:

He went to England, played the piano, and married  
An actress named Kim  
They had a good life, she was a good wife  
And bore him a young son named Jim  
All of the answers and all of the questions  
He locked in his attic one day  
'Cause he liked the quiet clean country livin'  
And twenty more years slipped away

#### Verse 3:

War took his baby,  
Bombs killed his lady and left him  
With only one eye  
His body was battered, his whole world was shattered  
All he could do was just cry  
While the tears were fallin' he was recallin'  
Answers that he never found  
So he hopped in a freighter, skidded the ocean  
And left England without a sound

#### Verse 4:

Now he lives in the islands, fishes the pilin' and drinks  
His Green label each day  
Writing his memoirs, losin' his hearin'  
But he don't care what most people say  
After eighty-six years of perpetual motion  
If he likes you he'll smile and say  
"Jimmy, some of it's magic, probably tragic,  
But I had a good life all the way"  
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