

Trout Fishing In America "There's A Panther In Michigan"

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(M. Smith)

Chorus: There's a panther in Michigan. Don't that make
your Halloween?

There's a panther in Michigan, although he is seldom
seen

And he's following the water in the ways of the Indian,
And he's crossing the border to Indiana.

There's an awful lot of cover down along the Raisin
river.

We would set up on the one side, he'd show up on the
other.

I know people used to wonder why we couldn't catch
the panther,

There's an awful lot of cover down along the Raisin
river.

When a farmer in Manchester called, I was there in
minutes,

Following the trail of feathers

Through the high grass when he screamed.

Thirty-four years in law enforcement, I've never been
so scared.

I could see where he was going by the way the grass
was moving.

Chorus:

Now, people who know panthers say that they are lazy
hunters,

And they will take a prey that's wounded over one
that's healthy,

And he might take a child, playing in a sand-box,
For some kind of wounded critter down along the
Raisin river.

Test drivers saw the panther at the Chrysler proving
grounds.

It was during hunting season. He was out there on the
track,

And he knew if he went in there, he'd be safe from
hunters.

He's an uncanny animal.

Chorus:

