

The Weight

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A

I pulled in to
2. I picked
3. Go down, Miss
4. Crazy Chester
5. Get your



C#m

Nazareth, I was
up my bag. I went
Moses, there's
followed me and he
Canonball now, to



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feeling about half past
looking for a place to
nothing you can
caught me in the
take me down the



A

dead.
hide.
say.
fog.
line.

5



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I just need some
When I saw
It's just old
He said, "I will
My bag is



C#m

place where
Carmen and the devil
Luke, and Luke's
fix your rack, if
sinking low, and I



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I can lay my
walking side by
waiting on the judgement
you'll take Jack my
do believe it's



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head.
side.
day.
dog."
time

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"Hey, Mister, can you
I said, "Hey,
"Well, Luke, my
I said, "Wait a minute,
To get back to Miss



C#m

tell me where a
Carmen, come
friend, what a-
Chester. You know
Fanny. You know



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man might find a
on. Let's go down-
bout young Anna
I'm a peaceful
she's the only



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bed?"
town."
Lee?"
man."
one

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He just grinned,
She said, "I
He said, "Do me a
He said, "That's o-
Who sent me



C#m

shook my hand,
got to go, but my
favor, son, won't you
kay, boy. Won't you
here with her re-



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"No" was all he said.
friend can stick around."
stay and keep Anna Lee
feed him when you
gards for every-



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company."
can?"
one.

2

17

ix

A

E

Take a load off,

D

Fanny.

A

E

Take a load for

D

free.

21

ix

A

E

Take a load off,

D

Fanny.

D

And...

D

...you

D

put the load right on

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ix

A

me.

E

F#m

E

D

D