

# Living on Non-Skid Row

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Here's the local group of grumpy gray-haired men  
Chewing over politics as if it's important  
As if their endless discussing of it,  
Waving their hands in the air, gesturing,  
Is going to change the world

How do these guys stop from having heart attacks  
All the time?  
Because they don't work, that's how  
They have trust funds

I saw one old guy wearing a jester cap and bells  
Bearing the word: Grumpy  
And I just wondered who he had to push over  
To get that hat?

