

"Born on a Train"
The Magnetic Fields
The Charm of the Highway Strip, 1994
arranged for UFC of CoMO

C F G
Some roads are only seen at night
C F G
Ghost roads – nothing but neon signs.
C F G
But some nights the neon gas gets free
C F G
and turns into walking dead like me

F G C F
And I've been making promises I know I'll never keep
G C F
One of these days I'm gonna leave you in your sleep
G C F
I'll have to go when the whistle blows, the whistle knows my name
G C
Baby, I was born on a train.

C F G
Well I know that you were never young
C F G
And I know you probably won't get old
C F G
But honey nobody's gonna hurt you anymore
C F G
And nobody's going to make you want to die

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And I've been making promises I know I'll never keep
G C F
One of these days I'm gonna leave you in your sleep
G C F
I'll have to go when the whistle blows, the whistle knows my name
G C
Baby, I was born on a train.

C **F** **G**
I'll go some cold and grey morning,
 C **F** **G**
and you won't remember anything
C **F** **G**
Some people don't believe in dying,
 C **F** **G**
but some of us don't believe in life

F **G** **C** **F**
And I've been making promises I know I'll never keep
 G **C** **F**
One of these days I'm gonna leave you in your sleep
 G **C** **F**
I'll have to go when the whistle blows, the whistle knows my name
 G **C**
Baby, I was born on a train.