

# Some Place Far Away

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My daddy brought home a photograph from the paper yesterday  
It showed a line of wagons movin' some place far away  
That picture made my daddy smile, it made my momma cry  
Seems that daddy's wagon load of dreams had long since passed her by  
Oh, the dream that makes the sparrow fly can make an eagle fall  
And one that makes the rich man money, it ain't no dream at all  
It's a cryin' shame to wake up just to find it's all been broke in two  
Careful what you're dreamin' 'cause it some day may come true  
He talked on all through supper time 'bout the good prospector's life  
Couldn't see momma didn't wanna be no good prospector's wife  
He said, "We best sell out and go before the weather turns too cold  
And maybe buy ourselves an extra horse to carry all that gold"  
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I got up as soon as the first light came to start the mornin' fire  
Wonderin' if my momma's will had cooled that man's desire  
Inside the stove upon the coals, an ashen paper lay  
It was a ghostly line of wagons movin' some place far away  
And the dream that makes the sparrow fly can make an eagle fall  
The one that makes the rich man money, it ain't no dream at all  
It's a cryin' shame to wake up just to find it's all been broke in two  
Careful what you're dreamin' 'cause it some day may come true  
Oh, be careful what you're dreamin' 'cause it some day may come true

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