

# California Zephyr

## Jay Farrar

Up the Hudson Valley across New York State to Chicago then the Plains  
All so easy and dreamlike crashing the salt flat daybreak  
I hear "I'll Take You Home again Kathleen" sad fog winds out there to blow  
Across the rooftops of eerie old hangover San FranciscoNow I'm transcontinental 3000 miles from my home  
I'm on the California Zephyr watching America roll by  
Now I'm transcontinental 3000 miles from my home  
I'm on the California Zephyr watching America roll byI've hit the end of my trail can't even drag my own body  
I've been driven mad for three years  
Too much fame keeps a body busy and the mind full of tears  
Terrified by that sad song across rooftops  
mingled with the lachrymose cries of the salvation army meeting  
on the corner saying, "Satan is the cause of it all"Now I'm transcontinental 3000 miles from my home  
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