

# Oh California

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Thought Id never reach the water  
Had to cross the desert and the great divide  
Drinking only golden promises  
With white lines in my eyes Oh, sons and daughters  
Followed all the signs to paradise  
Believing only dreams and promises  
With starlight in their eyes CHORUS:  
Oh, California  
Its the one big love that you cannot end  
Oh, California  
Its not like before but we can still pretend I was swimming in freezing water  
I could hear the music from the other side  
Looked up and I saw my father  
And tears were in his eyes CHORUS We all still live for Friday night  
Old habits die hard when you get them right  
Theres a broken dream in every grain of sand  
But its as close as I can get to the promised land Oh, California  
I can see you now from the top of that hill  
Oh, California  
Though many have gone I have the memories still  
Oh, California  
I can hear the sound of the mission bell  
Oh, California  
Were one stones throw from heaven Thought Id never reach the water  
Had to cross the desert and the great divide  
Drinking only golden promises  
With white lines in my eyes Oh, California  
Its the one big love that you cannot end  
Oh, California  
Yeah I cant leave you now  
Oh, California

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