

# Liquor Store

## Uncle Lucius

Take me down to the liquor store now  
I need my poison close at hand  
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The devil's dealt me an idle hand

Born on a train on the fourth of July  
?Bout the time that my dad died in Nam  
Wasn't given a chance or even a name  
Spent a night in my sweet mama's arms

Then she gave me away to a rail yard bum  
Who drank bourbon and walked with a limp  
Been riding these rails since I drew my first breath  
Guess to die here would only seem fit

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I put thirty-two grand on a horse named Believe  
And the jockey fell off of its back  
Now I'm really in deep with the shark this time  
He'll kill me for cuttin? me slack

And my wife and my son are all I think about  
And the pain is just too much to bear  
So I'm searching for grace in the bottle tonight  
Ever fearful of what's drawing near

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Daddy hit her too hard on the days he was drunk  
And quite often he'd touch her all wrong  
So she grew up without a clue in the world

Just about what love really was

Now you'll find her up town selling pleasure for cash  
To only the worst kind of men  
There's a hole in her soul that she fills with a drink  
And tonight she'll cry out again

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(Take me down to the liquor store now) x2

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