

# Casey Jones

Tom Rush

Miss Casey said she dreamt a dream  
The night she bought her sewing machine.  
The needle got broke and she could not sew.  
Loved Mister Casey 'cause she told me so.  
...Told me so...  
...Told me so...

She loved Mister Casey 'cause she told me so. Now Monday morning, at four o'clock.

Casey told his fireman get the boilers hot.

Put on your water, put on your coal,  
Put your head out the window, see my driver wheel roll  
...See my driver wheel roll...

Put your head out the window, see my drive wheel roll. Some people goin a tell ya Casey Jones can't run.

Let me tell you what Casey done.  
He left Memphis, was a quarter to nine.  
Got to Newport News fore dinner time  
...Fore was dinner time...

Got to Newport News, fore dinner time. Hey look a yonder comin down that line

Its the 109 tryin to make some time  
You can tell by the way that the whistle moans  
The man at the throttle thats Casey Jones  
Thats Casey Jones  
Thats Casey Jones

The man at the throttle thats Casey Jones Now Monday mornin at six oclock.

Caseys engine began to reel and rock  
Casey told the fireman Keep yourself hid  
We gonna shake it like Chaney did  
Like Chaney did  
Like Chaney did

We gonna shake it like Chaney did  
Hey look a yonder waitin down that line  
Ten little children on the doorstep cryin  
Momma Momma cant keep from cryin  
Poppa got killed on the central line

On the central line  
On the central line

Poppa got killed on the central line Now Monday mornin' come a shower of rain

'Round the curve come a passenger train  
Tipped his brake, blew his horn  
He's a good engineer but he's dead and gone

He's dead and gone  
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