

# Ghost Train

## Carrie Newcomer

There's a light in the darkness  
Just barely out of view  
From the corner of your vision  
It beckons to you After the crops have all come in  
Amid the stubble and the chaff  
Keep on walkin' when it whispers  
And don't look back Some say it's the Ghost Train's headlights  
Or poor Wayland Smiths' pyre  
Some say it's the will o' the wisp  
Or St. Elmo's fire Or the ghost of wanderin' spirits  
That got lost between the worlds  
Keep on walkin' when they whisper  
Or if the lines begin to blur When it's done, it's said and done  
When it's gone, it's good and gone  
Sometimes there's nothin' left to do  
But pack it up and move along I'm not sayin' I don't remember  
Or that all things can be repaired  
But after the truth has been told  
Where do we go from there? Sorrow is a constant companion  
We just learn to walk beside  
Keep walkin' when it whispers  
And don't listen when it lies When it's done, it's said and done  
When it's gone, it's good and gone  
Sometimes there's nothin' left to do  
But pack it up and move along There are stories we are told  
Just to keep us in our place  
There are stories we made up ourselves  
To save a little face There's are ones that made us crazy  
And ones that kept us sane  
Keep on walkin' if the stories  
All start to sound the same When it's done, it's said and done  
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