

# Oh Mississippi

## Mt. Desolation

oh mighty river  
the mississippi's  
turbulent waters  
    lull me to sleep  
please take my hand  
    i will go softly  
your arms around me  
    you'll be my man  
the leaves are changin'  
    i cross this road  
to make my last walk  
in that warm sunshine  
    oh mighty river  
    oh mississippi  
oh all the troubles your banks have seen

    carry their stories from north to south  
but 'round these parts you're westward bound  
    the factories closin'  
    kids have grown so fast  
    lift up their woe please  
    as you flow past  
    oh witness river  
    you have seen it all  
    now do your waters  
have room for one more  
    oh endless river  
    as you transcend  
please take me with you  
    far from this land

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