

# The Night the Carousel Burned Down

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Weren't you there when the carousel burnt down?  
The fire and confusion, the smoke and the sound  
I swear you were there when the carousel burnt down  
We were all around The rings charred and tarnished all over the ground  
And the heads hung down  
And we all left town  
The next day The children all cried when the carousel burnt down  
The old ladies sighed as the carousel burnt down  
The rest of us lied as the carousel burnt down  
And the flames did fly The pipes steamed and shrieked out a blazing goodbye  
As the boiler died  
And they melted down  
The midway And we all left town the next day (x2) And we all left town the next day (x3)

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