## **Ethylene**

## **John Hiatt**

I'm sitting on the toilet with my sunglasses on
Wondering what you are up to
This hotel's got bathroom telephones
But I don't want to interrupt youYou might be painting your nails
With your hot curlers on, each one a different color
Or listening to that Beach Boys, 'Sailing' song
Sloop John B or anotherEthylene, my Ethylene

My love for you is just obscene

My deer you dress, my fish you clean

But you are nowhere to be seen, my EthyleneNow you could bag your limit with a bow and arrow

Yeah you could skin a cougar in the dark
Well I thought we were walking down the straight and narrow

How'd we ever drift so far apartI put eighteen wheels on this road to nowhere

And you disappeared right up in the hills

Like smoke up a chimney, girl, I go there

Yeah, in my dreams I visit you still Ethylene, my Ethylene

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My deer you dress, my fish you clean

But you are nowhere to be seen, my EthyleneYou're a good girl

Oh yeah, I guessSome men will drive to the edges of nothing

So they can take a peak at the great abyss

Some men avoid love, like it was a plague or something

So they can leave the seat down, when they pissI miss that crocheted thing you kept on the Kleenex box

I miss my feet on your cold linoleum floor

Sippin' hot coffee after makin' love till daybreak

Well, Ethylene, a fool would ask for moreEthylene, my Ethylene

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