

If I Had Any Sense I'd Go Back Home

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I remember the day I caught the train
I was standin out at the rail road crossing soakin wet with rain
Now I realized fortune and fame is not for me
And all those pretty stories aint what theyre cooked up to beI know every move I made was wrong
If I had any sense Id go back homeYeah, my mother stood cryin, my father had an achin heart
He said, Girl, girl, please dont let us part
My sweetheart stood cryin and I cried a little bit too
But I didnt have the will power to stop, I had to do what I had to doNow I realize every move I made was wrong
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