

# The Railroad

**Dorothy Love Coates**

Up each morning at five o'clock  
Seem like the noon-day sun ain't never gonna stop  
The work is hard in a railroad yard  
Hey, hey, got to make it today to punch a time card  
Workin' on the railroad  
Oh, you know, the railroad is a mighty good line  
Come on and ride the railroad one more time  
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Come on and ride the railroad one more time  
Dirt and sweat, runnin' down my back  
(Workin' on the railroad)  
I work all day long up and down the railroad tracks  
(Workin' on the railroad)

I'm a God fearing man and with many I stand  
(Workin' on the railroad)  
And with God we've been working, oh yeah, all hand in hand  
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