

# Grandaddy

Judy Collins

Grandaddy look at the gypsies dancing in the firelight  
Burning so brightly  
How do they keep themselves warm on such a night? See all the fiddlers twirling while he plays his violin  
Laughing and shouting  
Have you seen anything like it in your life? Grandma was cold and chide when we get in  
She'll wanna know what we've done and where we've been  
Promise me you'll never tell, ya know your secret's safe with me  
I can be trusted Wrap me up in your winter coat  
Wrap me up so tight  
I never will feel the cold  
I'll be warm tonight Can we go down to the railroad tracks and watch the train go by?  
Shining like silver  
I hear the whistle, the train is on it's way Hold me over your shoulder, so that I can see the light  
Over the pine trees  
How I would like to go riding on that train Tell me the story again about the time you went away  
You went to Chicago, no one knew where you were  
Why did you ever come back here after you had run away?  
I'm so glad you did, Sir Wrap me in your winter coat  
Wrap me up so tight  
I never will feel the cold  
I'll be warm tonight Grandaddy, tell me the names of all the stars up in the sky  
Is there a heaven?  
Do you think there is a life after we die? Why do some people have all the gold and silver they can spend?  
Others have nothing  
It isn't fair and I've always wondered why Can I hold the match while you light up your pipe?  
I love the smell of tobacco in the air  
Tell me again about how it was before I came to be in the old country  
When you were young and you sailed upon the sea Wrap me up in your winter coat  
Wrap me up so tight  
I never will feel the cold  
I'll be warm tonight Wrap me up in your winter coat  
Wrap me up so tight  
I never will feel the cold  
I'll be warm tonight  
I'll be safe tonight

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