

High Road

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Susie was a pearl of a woman
Jack was a golden man
She told him she'd love him forever
 He gave her a wedding band
Their parents said they were just children
 "Love comes as fast as it leaves
 They think that they've built a foundation
Till life knocks them down with a breeze"Living comes natural to many
 Love comes natural to few
 You take the high road to freedom
I'll take the low road to youJack bought a brand new tractor
 The bank bought him the land
He said, "The work may be hard but its honest
 I'll pay 'em by May if I can."
 Sometimes they'd talk about children
 Names and things that they'll do
 "If its a girl we'll call her Joanna
She'll grow up to be just like you."Living comes natural to many
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 Trying to beat the next rain
 Susie, she'd watch through the window
 As the downpour finally came
 He was riding the side of the terrace
 When the mud gave way to the wheel
 The tractor tipped over on Jack
 The cold was all he could feel
 Susie ran out through the rainstorm
 Threw her arms around her true love
 Her tears were lost in the water
 And mixed in a puddle of blood
 He told his little wife not to worry
 He said, "The soft ground has broken my fall."
 He told her he'd love her forever
Then he didn't say nothing at all.Susie grew old and grey-headed
 She never did marry again
 Jack took the high road to freedom
She took the low road to himLiving comes natural to many

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I'll take the low road to you.

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