## **Numbers**

## **Jason Michael Carroll**

I'm doing seventy two in a sixty five

On I-24 in a four wheel drive

Got a ten o'clock on Eighteenth AvenueAnd there's a thirty percent chance of rain all week

And the high today is gonna be eighty three

They're playing Highway 101 on 1025

An eighteen wheeler by my sideNumbers all around, flying by up and down Some as slow as Christmas coming

Some like the speed of soundAnd we all wonder what they mean

The highs, the lows, the in-betweens

Most of them mean absolutely nothing

But some of them mean everything I met her at nine fifteen on my buddy's back porch
Shooting bottle rockets on July fourth

We were both nineteen and she was a perfect tenThen three years later 'neath a million stars In my F-150 on her granddad's farm

I slipped a half carat diamond on the third finger, of her left hand
And asked to be her one and only manNumbers all around, flying by up and down
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The fifty yard line, the thirteenth floor

9/11, the dirty dozen

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