Me and Bobby McGee (Album)

Loretta Lynn

Busted flat in Baton Rouge
Waitin' for the train
Feelin' nearly faded as my jeans
Bobby thumbed a diesel down
Just before it rained

Rode us all the way to New Orleans

I pulled my harpoon out of my dirty red bandanna

And was playing soft

While Bobby sang the blues

With them windshield wipers slappin' time

I was holdin' Bobby's hand in mine

We sang every song that driver knew

Freedom's just another word for nothin' left to lose Nothin' ain't worth nothin' but it's freeFeelin' good was easy, Lord,

When he sang the blues

And feelin' good was good enough for me

Good enough for me and Bobby McGeeFrom Kentucky coal mines

To the California sun

Bobby shared the secrets of my soul

Through all kinds of weather, Lord

Through everything I done

Bobby baby kept me from the cold

Then somewhere near Salinas, Lord

I let him slip away

Lookin' for the home I hope he'll find it

And I'd trade all of my tomorrows

For one single yesterday

Holdin' Bobby's body next to mine

Freedom's just another word for nothin' left to lose

Nothin' left is all that Bobby left meFeelin good was easy, Lord

When he sang the blues

And buddy, that was good enough for me Good enough for me and Bobby McGee

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