

# Tire Swing

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I took the Polaroid down in my room  
I'm pretty sure you have a new girlfriend  
It's not as if I don't like you  
It just makes me sad whenever I see it  
'Coz I like to be gone most of the time  
And you like to be home most of the time  
If I stay in one place I lose my mind  
I'm a pretty impossible lady to be with  
Joey never met a bike that he didn't wanna ride  
And I never met a Toby that I didn't like  
Scotty liked all of the books that I recommended  
Even if he didn't, I wouldn't be offended  
I had a dream that I had to drive to Madison  
To deliver a painting for some silly reason  
I took a wrong turn and ended up in Michigan  
A pallbearer aboard took me to the giant tire swing  
Gave me a push and he started singing  
I sang along while I was swinging  
The sound of our voices made us forget everything

That had ever hurt our feelings  
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Now I'm home for less than twenty four hours  
That's hardly time to take a shower  
Hug my family and take your picture off the wall  
Check my email, write a song and make a few phone calls  
Before it's time to leave again  
I got one hand on the steering wheel, one waving out the window  
If I'm a spinster for the rest of my life  
My arms will keep me warm on cold and lonely nights  
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