Movin' On

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I'll see my mother again I know
I see her everywhere I go
Sometimes I see my father too
Pourin' over blue prints that he drewHe made his way with sweat and brains
So I could ride this first class train
While I didn't even know where to
Only knew it wouldn't be longAlways movin' on, always movin' on
Always movin' onSing a song about the big ship goin' down
Grandma cried, grandpa too

Then we went to town

To get some ice cream, see a picture show

Come back and take a swim in the lake's moon glowWell, I knew then there were no watery graves

Just tears and laughter and moonlight on the waves

Then the cryin' of the mornin' loon

Pretty soon summers' goneAlways movin' on, always movin' on
Always movin' onMy wife's mama lyin' in a dyin' bed
They've anointed her with oils and some words are being said
Somethin' about the soul bein' present eternally
Does that mean I'll be seein' you, babe
Would you be seein' me?Twilight's dimmin' down another day
Been some moments I didn't wanna let slip away

As if they wouldn't, as if I could
Stay in a place where time just stoodLike wood and steel in a watery grave
No tears, no laughter, no moonlight on the waves
Well, there's no place like that, it's true
Right here's where you and I belongAlways movin' on, always movin' on
Always movin' on, always movin' on, yeah
Always movin' on, always movin' on

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