

# Stop This Train

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No, I'm not color blind  
I know the world is black and white  
I try to keep an open mind  
But, I just can't sleep on this tonight  
Stop this train  
I want to get off and go home again  
I can't take the speed it's moving in  
I know I can't  
But honestly, won't someone stop this train?  
Don't know how else to say it  
I don't want to see my parents go  
One generation's length away  
From fighting life out on my own  
Stop this train  
I want to get off and go home again  
I can't take the speed it's moving in  
I know I can't  
But honestly, won't someone stop this train?  
So scared of getting older  
I'm only good at being young  
So I play the numbers game  
To find a way to say that life has just begun  
Had a talk with my old man  
Said, "Help me understand"  
He said, "Turn sixty-eight, you'll renegotiate"  
"Don't stop this train  
Don't, for a minute, change the place you're in  
And don't think I couldn't ever understand  
I tried my hand  
John, honestly, we'll never stop this train"  
Once in a while, when it's good  
It'll feel like it should  
When they're all still around  
And you're still safe and sound  
And you don't miss a thing  
'Til you cry when you're driving away in the dark  
Singing, "Stop this train  
I want to get off and go home again  
I can't take the speed it's moving in  
I know I can't  
'Cause, now, I see, I'll never stop this train"

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