Pa

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Pa drove to town yesterday to pick out a grave
He found the lot where she'd lay
Then he drove to old man Ed Sederdoms's place
To find him some peaceHe got there 'round about twelve and he stayed 'till three
And the sun left him down in the valley
But the moon met him up in the hills by the lake

Reflecting the ghost of ma's faceSuppertime came in and went

No one heard from him

Sis' left his food on his plate

At the end of the table right next to ma's placeWhere nobody sits

Telephone rang about four

My sis answered it

And I felt the news through the floorboardsLike a long sufferin' moan

Like a wreck on the road

Like a joining of handsSha la la la

Sha la laSo I drove to town yesterday to pick out his grave
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