On the Road

John Denver

Back in 1958 we drove an old V8 And when it'd gone a hundred thou We got out and pushed it a mileWe didn't know who we were We didn't know what we did We were just on the roadHeadin' down from Canada On a gravel road a mile from Montana Then my daddy read a sign And took us in the wrong direction asked my daddy, "Where are we goin'?" He said, "Well just follow our nose" So I looked out the window And dreamed I was a cowboyWe didn't know who we were We didn't know what we did We were just on the roadI met a girl in a truck cafe Fell in love almost right away Then the Mercury was ready to go And I had to leave herShoo-be-doo-be-doo-sh-doo Shoo-be-doo-sh-doo-sh-dooGo home said the man in the moon go home Go home said the man in the moon go homeBecause it's gettin' sorta late And I'll soon turn out my light Go home said the man in the moon, go homeWe didn't know who we were We didn't know what we did We were just on the roadWe didn't know who we were We didn't know what we did We were just a ridin' on

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We were just a ridin' on the road