

# Mississippi River Girl

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She would sit alone by the bank  
Always coming home so late  
She'd take off all her clothes and jump in  
I'd be giving up, man, if she'd be giving in  
Baby, let me dry your hair  
I got some clothes that you can wear  
Over there on the bed  
And I'd always forgive her  
But the Mississippi river never did  
She'd sit out on the dock and put her feet in  
She was skipping rocks  
And she was skipping school again  
She stole my only cigarettes  
She smoked the whole pack one by one

Light 'em up and put 'em to her lips  
And I'd always forgive her  
But the Mississippi river never did  
She was always running away  
No matter how hard I tried, she would never stay  
And I wish that she would run to me  
Like the Mississippi river is running towards the sea  
And now my poor heart is on the mend  
And I'll always be with her  
Because the Mississippi river never ends  
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Because the Mississippi river never ends

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