

Ruben's Train

Oh Ruben had a train and he put it on the tracks
said he'd ride it til the Lord knows when
You should've been in town when ol Ruben's train came round
You could hear the whistle blow a hundred miles

Chorus:

Oh me, Oh my you could hear the whistle blow a hundred miles
Oh me, Oh my you could hear the whistle blow a hundred miles

Well, I'm walking down these tracks, I've got tears in my eyes
Tryin' to read a letter from my home
If my woman says so then I'll railroad no more
I'll sidetrack my train and I'll go home

Chorus:

Oh me, Oh my you could hear the whistle blow a hundred miles
Oh me, Oh my you could hear the whistle blow a hundred miles

Well, I've been to the East and I've been to the West
I'm going where them chilly winds don't blow
If my train runs me right, I'll see my woman on Friday night
Lord, I'm nine hundred miles from my home

Chorus:

Oh me, Oh my you could hear the whistle blow a hundred miles
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