Well I stepped into the station
With my only suitcase in my hand
I bought a ticket at the counter
And I said I gotta stick to my plan
'Cause I love that girl with all my might
And I think I finally got it right

5 years, 4 months, 3 days Goin' home tonight

It was 5 years ago I was barely just 21 And I wound up lookin' at the wrong end of a gun But I finally think I got it right I ain't seen a cop all night

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And searchin' and dyin'
And tryin' just to run from myself
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And tossin' and turnin'
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