

# Shining Mountain

Bruce Cockburn

I went up on the mountain side  
To see what I could see  
To see what I could be  
On the shining mountain

I watched the day go down in fire  
And sink in the valley  
And sink into the sea  
Drown in golden fire

Fireflies danced in the forest night  
The trees began to sing  
The crags began to sing  
Above the black forest

I went up on the mountain side  
To know what I did know  
To know whence I did know  
On the crowning mountain