If you were here in Starkville
Townie boys would love the way you stare
If you were here in Starkville
Well the local girls they wouldn't have a prayer

Well I've spent a reckless night inside the wonder Of your everlasting charm

Now I'm haunted by geography and the flora

And the fauna of your heart

At the dawning of some road worn day I call you on a whim just to say The morning birds are singing But I could not do them justice So I hung up and I fell back to sleep

But I'm in love with my mobility Sometimes this life can be a drag Like when I noticed your nobility And how my leaving It only held you back

But I remember one occasion
When you were drinking
And you asked me to the coast
But I was hell bent on agony back then
And so I missed the boat

At the dawning of some road worn day I call you on a whim just to say My regrets become distractions When I can not do them justice Then I hung up and I fell back to sleep

When I was down in Starkville
I was hiding out inside some comfort inn
From a local gang of troubadours
When the homecoming queen
She come ridin in
(oooh)
Yeah

Yeah but I slipped out of my room into the rain (oooh)
And I went running for my health (oooh)
I watched those headlights turn to moonlight
And finally I was running by myself

Now its the dawning of some road worn day And I call you on a whim just to say The morning birds are singing