

Standing by the River

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And if the stars had ears they'd hear me every night
Singin' this lonesome tune
I'm standing here by the river
Thinkin' about love gone bad
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A foghorn blows in the distance
I zip my jacket and tie
I watch a tug comin' 'round the bend
Then passin' out of sight

Like your love it's always comin' and goin'
On its way to someplace new
And I'm left here by the riverside
Just cryin' over you

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Weeping willow stands there
Limbs all hangin' down
Tellin' me it knows how I feel
Never makin' a sound

Lowly it is, Lord, it'd seen 'em all
People come to watch the river flow
It's never seen a fool as big as me
For ever letting you go

And I'm standing here by the riverside
Just watching the river flow
And I'm standing here by the riverside
Just watching the river flow
And I'm standing here by the riverside
Still trying to let you go

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Still trying to let you go