

# Margarita

Paul Williams

Her family lives in a trailer  
Five miles out of town  
He's crazy said the neighbors  
I was white - she was brown  
But we'd just run to the river  
And lay our bodies down  
Between her sighs we'd love away the lies  
That followed us around

Margarita, Margarita  
The softness of your body and the hunger in my soul  
Are the only secrets I'll ever know  
Margarita

We grew up together  
While our families worked the land  
And the shadows never touched  
The places where we ran  
But as the years went driftin' by  
The harvest turned to sand  
She went away - I had to stay  
I'll never understand

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Sometimes in the evenin'  
At the closing of the day  
I look down on the valley  
Where we used to lay  
And now there's just a whisper  
Of an old familiar name  
Margarita, give anything to see you  
It feels that good to say

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