

# circus

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You shouldn't put a lion in a cage  
On a cart, on a train to go travel so far  
And everyone knows better yet it's something we pay to see  
He's strong and wild  
In all the ways that you'd like to be

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But nobody knows it as well as I do  
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You shouldn't put an elephant in chains for so long  
He remembers everything but not where he went wrong  
And everyone knows better yet it's something that we still do  
He's kind despite the places  
That you're paying to bring him to

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Then you came  
You didn't need glass slippers for your feet  
Just something for after the showers  
To keep 'em clean, and you're like me  
You didn't like lions and elephants for admission fees  
We didn't talk about it but the day would come we would set them

Then you came  
Sat on my lap held a blade against my throat  
You could cut me I didn't mind to bleed at all  
And you're like me  
You didn't like the lions and elephants for admission fees  
We didn't talk about it but the day would come we would set them free

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