

Ballad of Billy Joe

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Raised by my mama and my papa
Just east of Omaha
My name is Billy Joe
I had a sibling
My little bro

Left one day and
Crossed the train tracks
Never did come on home
Mama and Papa didn't seem the same
Since Joe's destiny with a train

Oh it seems so long ago
Time has passed
I've moved from Omaha
Every day I think of Little Joe

Oh it seems so long ago
The years have passed
My parents have gone to
Reunite with Little Joe

Now I have a family
All my own
But I still miss
My little bro
Oh it seems so long ago

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