

# Bob Dylan

## "Where Are You Tonight (Journey Through Dark Heat)"

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There's a long distance train rolling through the rain  
Tears on the letter I write  
There's a woman I long to touch and I missin' her so  
much  
But she's drifting like a satellite

There's a neon light ablaze in the green smoky haze  
And laughter down on Elizabeth Street  
There's a lonesome bell tone in that valley of stone  
Where she bathed in a stream of pure heat

Her father would emphasize you got to be more than  
street-wise  
But he practiced what he preached from the heart  
A full-blooded Cherokee, he predicted it to me  
The time and the place that we part

There's a babe in the arms of a woman in a rage  
And a longtime golden-haired stripper on stage  
And she winds back the clock and she turns back the  
page  
Of a book that nobody can write  
Oh, where are you tonight?

The truth was obscure, too profound and too pure  
To live it you had to explode  
And at the last hour of need, we entirely agreed  
Sacrifice was the code of the road

I left town at dawn, with Marcel and St. John  
Strong men belittled by doubt  
I couldn't tell her what my private thoughts were  
But she had some way of finding them out

He took dead-center aim, but he missed just the same  
She was waiting putting flowers on the shelf  
She could feel my despair as I climbed up her hair  
And discovered her invisible self

There's a lion in the road, there's a demon escaped  
There's a million dreams gone, there's a landscape

being raped  
As her beauty fades and I watch her undrape  
But I won't but then maybe again I might  
Oh, if I could just find you tonight

I fought with my twin, that enemy within  
'Til both of us fell by the way  
Horseplay and disease is killing me by degrees  
While the law looks the other way

Your partners in crime hit me up for nickels and dimes  
The man you were loving couldn't never get clean  
It felt out of place, my foot in his face  
But he should've stayed where his money was green

I bit into the root of forbidden fruit  
With the juice running down my leg  
Then I dealt with your boss, who'd never known about  
loss  
Who always was too proud to beg

There's a white diamond gloom, on the dark side of  
this room  
And a pathway that leads up to the stars  
If you don't believe there's a price for this sweet  
paradise  
Just remind me to show you the stars

There's a new day at dawn, and I've finally arrived  
If I'm there in the morning, baby, you'll know I've  
survived  
I can't believe it, I can't believe I'm alive  
But without you it doesn't seem right  
Oh, where are you tonight?

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