

## **Bottle Rockets**

### **"The Long Way"**

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Met a child of the Cosmos  
On the streets of Kanab  
He pointed the way and  
Answered the questions I had  
But a short cut through Utah  
Doesn't really exist  
It'll send you through a mountain  
And out a hole in a cliff

Left Flagstaff in the morning  
To make Salt Lake by night  
Driving across the moon  
Hoping that it's right  
Went into a fog  
Near the state line  
But didn't care much  
About losing time

It's true a wrong turn  
Can put you in a wrong place  
But it could lead to  
A way cooler space  
You'll never have a bad trip  
If you accept  
The twists and the turns  
That you don't expect

On Highway 80  
Just out of the hills  
Hit something slick  
About took a spill  
On the plateau  
In snow axle deep  
Still got to Rock Springs  
In time for some sleep

Been a mile high  
For nearly a week  
But it'll wear off  
Under twelve hundred feet  
Coming down soon

Traveling I-35  
Playing songs and  
Glad to be alive

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