

## Drive-by Truckers "72"

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Don't know why they even bother  
Putting this highway on the map  
Anybody's that's ever been on it  
Knows exactly where they're at

It's hells on both ends of it  
And no where's in between  
This highway's mean

Seems like it's always hot down here  
No matter when you come  
It's the kind of heat that holds you  
Like a mama holds her son

Tight when he tries to walk even tighter if he runs  
It's a mean old dusty highway  
But it's the only one that'll get me there  
That'll get me there

Mean old highway  
Stuck to the ground in Mississippi  
It's the one'll set me free  
It's the same one that I see

Being ripped up off the ground  
And wrapped around me  
Don't let it fool you  
This highway's mean

I don't need a map to tell me where I am today  
This feeling that I have has always led the way  
Down here, you're running from a broken heart  
Or to a heart that you have to break on this mean old  
highway  
On this mean old highway

Mean old highway  
Stuck to the ground in Mississippi  
It's the one'll set me free  
It's the same one that I see

Being ripped up off the ground

And wrapped around me  
Don't let it fool you  
This highway's mean

Well, this highway's mean  
Highway  
Told you this highway's mean

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