

## **Bobby Bare**

### **"Detroit City"**

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I wanna go home  
I wanna go home  
Ohh how I wanna go home

Last night I went to sleep in Detroit city  
And I dreamed about those cotton fields and home  
I dreamed about my mother, dear old papa, sister and  
brother  
I dreamed about that girl who's been waiting for so  
long

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Home folks think I'm big in Detroit city  
From the letters that I write they think I'm fine

But by day I make the cars, by night I make the bars  
If only they could read between the lines

'Cause you know I rode the freight train north to Detroit  
city  
And after all these years, I find, I've just been wastin'  
my time  
So I just think I'll take my foolish pride  
And put it on a southbound freight and ride  
And go on back to the loved ones  
The ones that I left waitin' so far behind

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