

Johnny Paycheck

"Maybelline"

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(Chuck Berry - Alan Freed - Russ Fratto)

Oh, Maybelline why can't you be true
Oh, Maybelline why can't you be true
You've started back
Doin' the things you used to do.

As I was motivatin' over the hill
I saw Maybelline in a Coupe DeVille
Cadillac rollin' on an open road
But nothin' outrun my V8 Ford
Cadillac doin' about ninety-five
Bumper to bumper rollin' side to side.

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Well, the Cadillac pulled up ahead of the Ford
The Ford got hot and wouldn't do no more
It done got cloudy and started to rain
I tooted my horn for the passing lane
The rain water poured up under my motor hood
I knew that were doin' my motor good

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--- Instrumental ---

Well, now the heat went down and the motor cooled
down
And that's when I heard that highway sound
Cadillac lookin' like a ton of lead
A hundred and ten a half a mile ahead
Cadillac lookin' like it's sittin' still
I caught Maybelline at the top of the hill.

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