

## **Mark Knopfler**

### **"Border Reiver"**

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Southern bound from Glasgow town  
She's shining in the sun  
My Scotson Lassie on the border run

We're whistling down the hillsides  
And tearing up the climbs  
I'm just a thief stealing time  
In the Border Reiver

Eight hundred thousand on the clock  
And plenty more to go  
Crash box and lever  
She needs the heel and toe

She's not too cold in winter  
But she cooks me in the heat  
I'm a six foot driver  
But you can't adjust the seat  
In the Border Reiver

"Sure as the sun rise"  
That's what they say about the Albion  
"Sure as the sun rise"  
That's what they say about the Albion  
She's an Albion, she's an Albion

The ministry don't worry me  
My paperwork's alright  
They can't touch me  
I got my sleep last night

It's knocking out a living wage  
In nineteen sixty nine  
I'm just a thief stealing time  
In the Border Reiver

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