

## The Civil Wars

### "Headlights"

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A summer drive away from dying: a broken heart  
nothing to lose.  
I know it hurts so bad just trying to please the ones you  
hate to love.  
And I wrote this note about someone I used to know  
So I'd remember how life can be so short when your left  
alone to wonder  
How it is someone opens and shuts the door.

I know your cold but come home.  
It's a shame how short we all have come.

You set your mind on cruise control; knuckles grip the  
wheel in fear to let it go.  
Love is empty, love is cruel, love it blindly breaks the  
rules.  
How could you have been a fool?  
It's something all of us go through.  
You choke back tears and swallow lies but those wiper  
blades won't fix your eyes,  
Count on having clouded vision for at least a little  
while.

And I know you're cold but come home: it's a shame  
how short we all have come.  
And I know you're cold but come home.

Please don't face the headlights of the oncoming cars  
along.  
We won't forget the past.  
We won't forget the past. (And I know you're cold)  
Say all the answers and I will let you go  
I won't look back  
And I won't look back.  
Say all the answers  
And I will let you go.  
I will let you go.  
I will let you go

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I won't look back. [x3]

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And I will let you go..

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