

## **Tammy Wynette**

### **"Southern California"**

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You always said someday you'd go to live  
In Southern California  
And me I'd stay right here in Tennessee  
You always talked about the better days  
In Southern California  
But if you'll stay in Tennessee  
I promise there'll be better days with me

It's not that I don't love you but I hear the call  
From Southern California  
There's something I can't find in Tennessee  
Silver screens and limousines  
They wait for me in Southern California  
Though you've been so good to me  
The time has come you'll have to set me free

Tomorrow when you leave you'll take my heart  
To Southern California  
But just remember I'll be here  
To keep your heart with me until you see

Well, it's been five years an' I guess I've cried a million  
tears  
Lookin' out the window of this little room  
Right over that flashin' neon sign that says, "Bar"  
It's almost midnight an' time to go downstairs and go  
to work  
I wonder how he's doin' in, Tennessee?

Well, here I sit by the window of this big old lonely  
mansion  
Lookin' out over the Smokies and on in everything I can  
see  
Oh, I guess by now she's found what she was lookin' for  
And as I look at this old faded photograph of the girl  
that I still love  
I wonder if she ever, thinks of me?

But the weather's good  
In Southern California

