

## Ani DiFranco "North Main Street"

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The warmth of north main street  
Shows me how I took myself through  
Illogical landscapes with you  
Scribbling on napkins in foreign ports  
All sorts of sidewalks I don't traverse anymore  
All kinds of people I don't write into the score

Well I see you drive your car past my house  
You're so far from admitting I've emerged  
From under your deep weather  
You may never hear the future I have heard

Oh the sound rebounds off the highest plateau  
Of the people I will love  
And the things I will know  
If I go

The utility of lipstick  
Escapes to a styrofoam cup  
The coffee gone, the conversation strong  
Oh though leaving's never easy  
Sentiments like shadows grow long

Your tears collect outside my bedroom window  
Like the winter's last little snow

And I am still the worst company that I have ever kept  
I just didn't want you to witness my weakness as I wept  
And I still define myself by the places that I've been  
I just didn't want you to see me traveling inbetween

It seems to me I'm not doing anything new  
I'm just not doing what I used to

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