

## Goodbye Mr. Mackenzie

### "The Rattler"

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I'm coming down the line  
I'm a rattling boy  
Rattling through the countryside  
I'm a rattling boy  
I just live from day to day  
I'm a rattling boy  
Eatin' them, cheatin' them, on my way  
I'm a rattling boy  
I'm going down the line  
I'm going to a better time  
I'm going to a better place  
I don't like people to know my face  
I can help get those feet out of that clay  
But I can't take you all the way

I'm as stationary as a stream  
I am aimless in extreme  
I hold what I need in my right hand  
I'm a rattling boy  
I do the work my gut demands  
I'm a rattling boy  
I'm going down the line  
I'm going to a better time  
I'm going to a better place  
I don't like people to know my face  
I can help get those feet out of that clay  
But I can't take you all the way

If I could hold you  
If I could love you  
Then I would do

I can help get those feet out of that clay  
But I can't take you all the way

I'm a rattling boy  
Rattling boy  
I can't take you all the way  
I won't take you all the way

