

# The Evening Train

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I heard the laughter at the depot  
But my tears fell like the rain  
When I saw them place that long white casket  
In the baggage coach of the evening train

The baby's eyes are red from weeping  
Its little heart is filled with pain  
Oh Daddy cried they're taking Mama  
Away from us on the evening train

As I turned to walk away from the depot  
It seemed I heard her call my name  
Take care of my baby and tell him darling  
That I'm going home on the evening train

I pray that God will give me courage  
To carry on 'til we meet again  
It's hard to know she's gone forever  
They're carrying her home on the evening train