

# Sing Me Back Home

**Merle Haggard**

The warden led a prisoner down the hallway to his doom  
I stood up to say good-bye like all the rest  
And I heard him tell the warden just before he reached my cell  
'Let my guitar playing friend do my request.' (Let him...)

Sing me back home with a song I used to hear  
Make my old memories come alive  
Take me away and turn back the years  
Sing Me Back Home before I die

I recall last Sunday morning a choir from 'cross the street  
Came to sing a few old gospel songs  
And I heard him tell the singers 'There's a song my mama sang.  
Can I hear once before we move along?'

Sing me back home, the song my mama sang  
Make my old memories come alive  
Take me away and turn back the years  
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