Like A Record Player

The Lawrence Arms

I'm like a record player I keep goin' round With a needle in my arm Making someone else's sound And lately I've been dreaming Of blue and empty skies But nothing like that ever Crosses red and weary eyes

I've been traveling with bottles Working close with cans Sitting up for hours with my best friends in a van Now, they say that this ain't living But I don't know what they mean Cuz I don't feel dead, and baby, you look alive to me It's the only game that I know how to play

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I don't need a doctor Cause anyone can see That I had all of these shots But, lord, I'm still sick as I can be I think I need to rest my head So baby come with me Lay down here beside me Keep me warm while I sleep

There's trouble on the way Huh! You'd best believe There always is don't worry Sit and have a drink with me When we go all we got is these days that we made And I don't wanna waste them being wistful or afraid

Without all of you I'd be even lower down You know what I wanna say but I can't get it out

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