

# This Train Keeps Rolling Along

The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band

All aboard in Montreal  
I heard the conductor call  
That old engine heaved a sigh  
Suitcases and shuffling feet  
I found my way to a window seat  
I love to watch the world go by

Made friends with a family  
Bound for Sault St. Marie  
They said bye at Sudbury Junction"  
I guess, I hated to see 'em go  
Thought about 'em as it started to snow  
Time stops for nothing or no one

This train keeps rollin' along  
From here to the great beyond  
Black smoke, pistons churn  
Steel rails and big wheels turn  
This train keeps rolling along

Across the endless prairie land  
Mighty buffalo used to stand  
Cree and the Blackfoot lived and died  
Are the Rockies nestled in the trees  
I fell in love with Lake Louise  
Smiling with her sparkling emerald eyes

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Soon we'll reach the sea and there I'll stand  
With nothing but the blue between me and Japan

Now I'm at the end of the line  
Out of track and out of time  
Conductor makes his final round  
But all the people and places past  
They went by just a little too fast  
How I wish, I could've slowed this engine down

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It keeps on rolling, rolling along  
It keeps on rolling