

# Ain't No God In Mexico

Billy Joe Shaver

Down the road a ways I've heard said  
A new day's coming on  
Where the women folks are friendly  
And the law leaves you alone

I'll believe it when I see it  
And I haven't seen it yet  
Don't mind me just keep on talking  
I'm just looking for my hat

There ain't no God in Mexico  
Ain't no way to understand  
How that border crossing feeling  
Makes a fool out of a man

If I'd never felt the sunshine  
Hell, I would not curse the rain  
If my feet could fit a railroad track  
I guess I'd been a train

Me and Louise Higgins Botham  
Used to chase across the yard  
Back in 1947 that's when  
More than times were hard

Well, pity me I didn't find  
The line in time like a fool  
In front of God and everybody  
I politely blew my cool

Ain't no God in Mexico  
Ain't no comfort in the kin  
When you're down in Madamoris  
Gettin' busted by the man

If I'd never felt the sunshine  
Hell, I would not curse the rain  
If I hadn't been railroaded  
Well I guess I'd been a train