

## Better Off As We Are

Blue Rodeo

We sat around at night and talked about so many things  
lay on the floor till the morning appeared  
you laughed at me and said I just don't get it  
you said we should be making plans for getting out of here

Somebody told me when I was just a little kid  
don't follow leaders just think for yourself  
but everybody minds everybody else's business here  
why can't they turn their eyes to somebody else

Tell me no use thinking  
we could ever be something  
we could rise with the stars  
better off as we are

My older brother he left the day he finished school  
moved down to New York to Washington Square  
he calls me up and says you should come and see me  
watch the waves of people rolling everywhere

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Late in the evening I'm up in my room  
trying to think of nothing clear away the day  
I lie awake and let my body wander  
up into the moonlight floating away

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