fare thee well old friends fare thee well we go burning up fuel and road oh but bet your stars one day we'll return for revival, sin and soul

well the color of road
is as black as the coal
the oldtimers burnt into ash
and the lines laid in gold
lead us all the way home
we follow them as hours pass
while the diesel engine's humming like the rain
all while the rubber tires are burning up to sing,

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heading down, heading south
come south we head north
to the west where the west never won
chasing lonesome whistle bells
and iron to falling suns
while the diesel engine's burning like a train
in that old familiar Norfolk southern way

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So long.....

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