

# Illinois

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Dusty day dawning  
Three hours late  
Open the curtains  
And let the rest wait.  
My mind goes running  
Three thousand miles east  
I may miss the harvest  
But I won't miss the feast.

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Have to see me again  
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Illinois, oh, Illinois.

South California  
Your sun is too cold  
It looks like your hills  
Have been raped of their gold.  
I should have come out  
When I was first told  
This lamb has got to  
Return to the fold.

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Flat on the prairies  
Soil and stone  
Stretching forever  
Taking me home  
'Cause I've got a woman  
Who waits for me there  
And I need a breath of that  
Sweet country air.

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