Maybellene

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Maybellene, why can't you be true? Oh Maybellene, why can't you be true? Youve started back doing the things you used to do.

As I was motivatin over the hill I saw Maybellene in a coup de ville. A Cadillac a-rollin on the open road, Nothin will outrun my V8 Ford. The cadillac doin bout ninety-five, Shes bumper to bumber rollin side by side.

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Pink in the mirror on top of the hill, Its just like swallowin up a medicine pill. First thing I saw that Cadillac grille Doin a hundred and ten gallopin over that hill. Offhill curve, a downhill strecth, Me and that Cadillac neck by neck.

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The Cadillac pulled up ahead of the Ford, The Ford got hot and wouldn't do no more. It then got clody and it started to rain, I tooted my horn for a passin lead The rain water blowin all under my hood, I knew that was doin my motor good.

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The motor cooled down, the heat went down And that's when I heard that highway sound. The Cadillac a-sittin like a ton of lead A hundred and ten a half a mile ahead. The Cadillac lookin like it's sittin still And I caught Maybellene at the top of the hill.

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