Another long summer's come and gone I don't know why it always ends this way The boardwalk's quiet and the carnival rides Are as empty as my broken heart tonight

But I close my eyes and one more time We're spinnin' around and you're holdin' on tightly The words came out, I kissed your mouth No Fourth of July has ever burned so brightly

You had to go I understand
But you promised you'd be back again
And so I wander around this town
'Til summer comes around

I got a job workin' at the old park pier
And every summer now for five long years
I grease the gears, fix the lights, tighten bolts, and straighten the tracks
And I count the days 'til you just might come back

And then I close my eyes and one more time We're spinnin' around and you're holdin' on tightly The words came out, I kissed your mouth No Fourth of July has ever burned so brightly

You had to go I understand
But you swore that you'd be back again
And so I'm frozen in this town
'Til summer comes around

And it comes around

Oh and I close my eyes and you and I
Are stuck on the Ferris wheel ridin' with the motion
And hand in hand we cried and laughed
Knowin' that love belonged to us, girl, if only for a moment

"Baby I'll be back again", you whispered in my ear But now the winter wind is the only sound And everythin' is closin' down 'Til summer comes around

'Til summer comes around
'Til it comes around and it comes around

And I miss you baby
And I miss you baby
And you're comin' back around
And you're comin' back around