

# Goodbye Marie

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I woke up this mornin'  
All cotton- mouthed from drinkin'  
Wonderin' how I'd make it through the day  
Wild eyed and crazy  
All burned out from thinkin'  
Wonderin' how the hell I's gonna say.

Goodbye Marie, oh goodbye Marie  
Out the window there's a lonesome highway callin' me  
It was fun Marie, but I got to run Marie  
If I can not keep your love  
At least I'll have your memory  
Goodbye Marie.

Wakin' up beside you  
On a Tijuana mornin'  
With that ocean breeze to keep us cool  
Three weeks of lovin'  
Twenty-one nights of heaven  
I stayed just long enough to be your fool.

Oh goodbye Marie,  
Por favor, pour me  
One more tequila  
I need all the courage I can find  
This time tomorrow  
I'll be back in Houston  
Thinkin' about the girl I left behind.

So goodbye Marie,