

## Before Gas And Tv

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Before gas and tv  
Before people had cars  
We'd sit around the fires  
Pass around our guitars

Remembering songs  
When my daddy was home  
He'd play along  
On the spoons and a comb

We'd go with the flow  
When the weather was fine  
Sometimes we'd go  
Collecting scrap iron

And we'd sit around the fires  
Pass a bottle of wine  
In the tales of the road  
Since time out of mind

If heaven's like this  
Well that's OK with me  
Where the living is fine  
And living is free

If heaven's like this  
Well then here's where I'll be  
On the edge of the field  
On the edge of the world  
Before gas and tv