

## Downtown Train

Mary Chapin Carpenter

Outside another yellow moon  
Has punched a hole in the nighttime  
I climb through the window and down to the street  
I'm shining like a new dime

The downtown trains are full  
With all those Brooklyn girls  
They try so hard to break out of their little world  
You wave your hand and they scatter like crows  
They have nothing that will ever capture your heart  
They're just thorns without the rose  
Oh, be careful of them in the dark

And if I was the one  
You chose to be your only one  
Oh baby now, can't you hear me now

Will I see you tonight on a downtown train  
Where every night is just the same; You leave me lonely now

(Now) I know your window and I know it's late  
I know your stairs and your doorway  
I walk down your street and past your gate  
I stand by the light at the fourway

You watch them as they fall  
Ooh, and they all have heart attacks  
They stay at the carnival, but they'll never win you back

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Where every night, every night is just the same; you leave me l  
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Will I see you tonight on a downtown train  
Where every night, every night is just the same, all upon a dow  
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Where every night, every night is just the same, you leave me l  
onely

Will I see you tonight on a downtown train  
Where all my dreams just fall like the rain, all upon a downtow  
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