

## Denton Road

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I've heard people say they've come for miles  
To pay their due respects  
(for mileage, each expects).  
"A pillar of community and style".  
"At heart, a family man  
Who'd had a change of plan".

Goodbye Sally, Simi Valley,  
Denton Road, The Roosevelt Hotel  
For my own farewell  
And if you don't show, that's fine.

What's it say about me that I'm bored?  
Don't need another speech  
To know I'm out of reach.  
Someone made a joke about the lord  
And somehow it relates  
To a dash between the dates.

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I don't expect you to.  
You've got other things to do  
In a life I now know that I never really knew.

The light are going out. They shut the lid.  
I guess I lost the thread.  
I'm in over my head.

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