

## This Tornado Loves You

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My love I am the speed of sound  
I left them motherless, fatherless  
Their souls dangling inside-out from thier mouths...  
But it's never enough  
I want you

I carved your name across three counties  
And ground it in with bloody hides  
Broken necks will line the ditch  
Till you "stop it! stop it! stop this madness! "  
I want you

I have waited with a glacier's patience  
Smashed every transformer with every trailer  
Till nothing was standing  
Sixty-five miles wide

But still you are nowhere, still you are nowhere, nowhere in si  
ght  
Come out to meet me, run out to meet me  
Come into the light

Climb the boxcars to the engine  
Through the smoke and to the sky

Your rails could always outrun mine so I  
I picked them up and crashed them down  
In a moment close to now  
Cause I miss, I miss, I miss, I miss  
How you'd sigh yourself to sleep  
When I'd rake the springtime across your sheets

My love, I'm an owl on the sill in the evening  
But morning finds you  
Still warm and breathing  
This tornado loves you, what will make you believe me?