

# Racing In The Street

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I got a 69 Chevy with a 396  
Fuellie heads and a Hurst on the floor  
She's waiting tonight down in the parking lot  
Outside the seven 'nd eleven store  
Me and my partner Sonny built her straight out of scratch  
And he rides with me from town to town  
We only run for the money got no strings attached  
We set 'em up and then we shut 'em down

Tonight tonight the strips just right  
I wanna blow 'em off in my first heat  
Summer's here and the time is right  
For racing in the street

We take all the action we can meet  
And we cover all the north east states  
When the strip shuts down we run 'em in the street  
From the fire roads to the interstate  
Now some guys they just give up living  
And start dying little by little piece by piece  
Some guys come home from work and wash up  
And go racing in the street

Tonight tonight the strips just right  
I wanna blow 'em all outta their seats  
We calling out around the world  
We're going racing in the street

I met her on the strip three years ago  
In a Camero with this dude from L.A.  
I blew that Camero off my back  
And drove that little girl away  
But now there's wrinkles round my baby's eyes  
And she cries herself to sleep at night  
When I come home the house is dark  
She sighs 'baby did you make it alright?'  
She sits on the porch of her daddy's house  
But all her pretty dreams are torn  
She stares off alone into the night  
With the eyes of one who hates for just being born  
For all the shut-down strangers and hot-rod angels  
Rumbling through this promised land  
Tonight my baby and me we're gonna ride to the sea  
And wash these sins off our hands

Tonight tonight the highway's bright  
Out of our way mister you best keep  
'Cos summer's here and the time is right  
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