

# One Of These Days

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We used to chase that boy home from school  
called him freckled faced, red headed fool  
he was different, he wasn't cool like me  
sticks and stones didn't break any bones  
but we never let well enough alone  
and one day he ran away from home you see  
and I passed him as he walked away  
and in his eyes I heard him say

One of these days your gonna love me  
you'll sit down by yourself and think  
about the times you pushed and shoved me  
and what good friends we might have been  
then your gonna sigh a little  
and maybe even cry a little but  
one of these days you're gonna love me

Patty Sue was a small town beauty  
I took one look and had to pull her to me  
lord knows she should've seen right through me  
when I promised her the world  
but at seventeen you only want one thing  
I left her standing with my high school ring  
innocent tears in the pouring rain as I walked  
away , and I still see her in my dreams  
and to this day she's whispering

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Now everybody stands up  
the congregation sings  
a song of sweet forgiveness  
and as the chorus rings  
the wind blows clear my memories  
the pages start to turn  
and suddenly I'm singing  
the moment that I learned

One of these days I'm gonna love me  
and feel the joy of sweet release  
one of these days I'll rise above me  
and at last I'll find some peace  
then I'm gonna smile a little  
and maybe even laugh a little but  
one of these days I'm gonna love me