

Out of Coffee

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How long have I been marking time	Bm D
While you smile and say	E G
We'll be catching some real good weather	E G
Any day	Bm

You'd think by now I could tell the difference
Between an IOU and a lie
Or had me enough bad coffee to open
My eye

Chorus:

Clock keeps ticking ticking ticking	A
Waitress counts out change	E Bm
How much coffee does it take to drown	Bm D
A year	F#

Save your breath for some sweet fool	Bm D
Who buys in to your game	E G
I'm out of coffee, out of time,	Bm F#
And out of here	Bm

It's like you're looking past my shoulder
At a mirror on the wall
Checking your Hollywood haircut
And killer smile

I wonder what I was thinking
When you said I like your style
I should have seen that train wreck coming
A country mile

Repeat Chorus

A Dylanesque snarl. The setting is a coffee-shop, the singer a woman who has had enough of an unworthy boyfriend. I imagine it being sung by the "factory girl" of "World on the Run" to the "punk who will sell her out cold."