

Hobo's Lullaby

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CHORUS: D G

Go to sleep, you weary hobo
A D (A7)

Let the towns drift slowly by;

D D7 G
Can't you hear those steel rails humming?

A D
That's the hobo's lullaby.

D G

Do not think about tomorrow;

A D (A7)

Let tomorrow come and go.

D D7 G
Tonight you have a nice warm boxcar

A D
Free from all the ice and snow.

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I know the police cause you trouble,

A D (A7)

They cause trouble everywhere;

D D7 G
But when you die and go to heaven,

A D
There won't be no policemen there.

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Though your clothes are torn and tattered
A D (A7)
And your hair is turning gray
D D7 G
Lift your head and look to heaven
A D
You'll find peace and rest some day.

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