

# Jim Reeves, Ichabod Crane

I'll tell you a story of a love and his flame  
You've read about him he's Ichabot Crane.

He went a courtin' one night on his horse  
And Sleepy Hollow they both had to cross  
While ridin' and thinkin' bout the girl he would wed  
It was there that old Ichabot lost his head.

Across Sleepy Hollow a horseman did follow  
And follow and follow poor Ichabot Crane  
Don't want to end up like Ichabot Crane  
Who lost his head and went up in the flame.

Sleepy Hollow I'm gonna evade  
That was the mistake that poor Ichabot made  
I'm a losin' my head and startin' to burn  
Ain't any too smart but I'm willin' to learn.

You can't talk me in to a staying out late  
That was poor Ichabot's biggest mistake  
Across Sleepy Hollow a horseman did follow  
And follow and follow poor Ichabot Crane.

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In the legend of Sleepy Hollow tis said  
The horseman had a pumpkin for a head  
My head may be sore and I may not be bright  
Just one more little kiss and that's all for tonight.

I'm afraid that your kisses will drive me insane  
And I'll end up like Ichabot Crane  
I'm a headin' right home and a jumpin' in bed  
That's the best way I know to hang on to my head.

Across Sleepy Hollow your mem'ry will follow  
And follow and follow this Ichabot Crane...