

# Jump Little Children, Because Of You

Goodnight to the river  
Goodnight to the harbor lights  
Goodnight to the city  
Goodnight will never be the same  
Because of you.

I can sit here drinking licorice tea  
And stare at the golden moon  
Just picturing the way things used to be  
The hot summer in the middle of June.

You were there in your peach silk dress  
Laughing at me, 'cause I was a mess  
A tall glass of lemonade  
Come on, let's go lay down in the shade.

It really wasn't that long ago  
It really wasn't that long ago.

I can sit here in my rocking chair  
Down by the riverside  
I could think about your golden hair  
But I'll think about my foolish pride.

You were there, beside me  
Lay down your head, sweet Rosa Marie  
Just you and me and the distant hound  
Just one kiss and the sun went down.

It really wasn't that long ago  
It really wasn't that long ago.

Let the river pull me under  
Down to the cold, cold blue  
Let the lightning and the thunder  
Have just one crack and I'm through  
Let the stars choose my number  
But I ain't going down, not because of you.

I can sit here all alone  
And howl as the moon goes down  
A burning fever down in my bones  
I'm almost certain that I'll come around.

The roller coaster and the ferris wheel  
Cotton candy, yeah, whatever you feel  
Just hold my hand and hold it tight  
A candy apple in the middle of the night

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It really wasn't that long ago.

Let the city drag me down  
Like she just might do  
'Til I'm scraping the ground  
With holes in my shoes  
With my head spinning round  
But I ain't going down, not because of you.

Yeah, because of you  
Because of you  
Because of you.