Frank Ifield, The Wayward Wind

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In a lonely shack by a railroad track He spent his younger days And I guess the sound of the outward-bound Made him a slave to his wand'rin ways

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Oh I met him there in a border town He vowed we'd never part Though he tried his best to settle down I'm now alone with a broken heart

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