

# Gov't Mule, Banks Of The Deep End

on the banks of the deep end  
where your soul is your best friend  
searching for a reason  
to go astray  
wild dreams turn to nightmares  
silver clouds turn to golden stairs  
and everything that you used to know  
is slipping away

here i've got my puzzle-piece  
only got it for a short term lease  
no time for asking  
no going back to get hurt  
i take a little from the mixture  
try to fit it into the picture  
got a place where you're standing  
dig your shoes into the dirt

trying hard to get back  
runnin' on the stones  
put you on my shoulders  
we can be the only one  
see the world's still spinning 'round  
gettin' dizzy when we look

there's a reason to be home  
there's a feeling when you smile  
but it feels like it might take over  
this feeling deep inside  
and there's a distance down the line  
far away from the station  
we can leave it all behind  
on a rolling creation

sit away from the window  
and lock the door  
can't you learn from the last time  
and the time before  
see the world's still spinning 'round  
gettin' dizzy when we look

got to leave town  
to see the yellow flowers bloom  
sun going down  
it's gonna be rising soon

on the banks of the deep end  
twisted as a riverbend  
searching for a reason to go astray

you couldn't hire twenty-five men  
to do what the man could do  
just the sound of his walking  
could split the whole damn town in two  
into the night full of shadows  
he still walks when the thunder rolls  
this river ain't shallow  
reminds us that the bell still tolls

bears in the kitchen  
tigers on tv  
the singer's pretending  
that this song's for me  
see the world's still spinning 'round

gettin' dizzy when we look

you took a wrong turn  
down by the waterline  
i heard they had to drag you off the sand  
find a dune and the wind will miss you  
hold on to a piece of dry land  
got to hold on to a piece of dry land  
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on the bands of the deep end  
where i lost my best friend  
searching for a reason to go astray