Merle Haggard, Train Whistle Blues

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When a woman gets the blues she hangs her little head and cries When a woman gets the blues she hangs her little head and cries But when a man gets the blues he grabs a train and rides Every time I see that lonesome railroad train Every time I see that lonesome railroad train It makes me wish I was going home again Looky yonder coming coming down that railroad track Looky yonder coming coming down that railroad track With the black smoke rolling rolling from that old smoke stack I got the blues so bad till the whole round world looks blue I got the blues so bad till the whole round world looks blue I ain't got a dime I don't know what to do I'm weary now I want to leave this town I'm weary now and I want to leave this town I can't find a job I'm tired of hanging around