

ME AND BOBBY MCGEE

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C
Busted flat in Baton Rouge headin' for the trains
G7
Feelin' nearly faded as my jeans
Bobby thumbed a diesel down just before it rained
C
Took us all the way to New Orleans
Took my harpoon out of my dirty red bandana
C7 **F**
And was blowin' sad while Bobby sang the blues
With them windshield wipers slappin' time and
C
Bobby clappin' hands we finally
G7 **C** **C7**
Sang up every song that driver knew

Chorus

F **C**
Freedom's just another word for nothin' left to lose
G7 **C** **C7**
And nothin' ain't worth nothin' but it's free
F **C**
Feelin' good was easy Lord when Bobby sang the blues
G7
And feeling good was good enough for me
C
Good enough for me and my Bobby McGee

Verse 2

D
From the coal mines of Kentucky to the California sun
A7
Bobby shared the secrets of my soul
Standin' right beside me Lord through everythin' I done
D
And every night she kept me from the cold
Then somewhere near Salinas Lord I let her slip away
D7 **G**
She was lookin' for the home I hope she'll find
D
Well I'd trade all my tomorrows for a single yesterday
A7 **D**
Holdin' Bobby's body close to mine