

# Trains

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Here I am at the end of the day  
with a cup of cold coffee  
from the station buffet.  
On trains, on trains I seem  
to spend my life on trains.

See the blue suit banker in the ticket line.  
Got an Evening Standard with Playboy  
hidden behind.  
On trains, on trains he seems  
to spend his life on trains.

Time after time.  
Was I just dreaming?  
Did I help you aboard?  
Full passenger service ---  
let me help with the door.  
Sit down take the weight off your feet.  
There's a train full of people I'd like  
you to meet.  
On trains, on trains we love  
to spend our lives on trains.

Join the secret world of trains.  
Feel the pleasure. Touch the pain.  
Drift into yesterday.

Once and again  
I was just thinking.  
We could meet sometime  
on the 17.30 where  
I usually find  
my friends at the end of the day.  
May we pay your fare, lady?  
We should like you to stay  
in our train. On trains ---  
you'll have to spend your life  
on trains.

I hear there's an office party on the 18.05.  
You'll be home for Christmas if they  
take you alive from the train.  
Those trains, we have to spend our lives  
on trains.

Once and again  
I was just thinking.  
We could meet any time  
on number two platform  
where I usually find  
my friends at the end of the day.  
On trains, trains, trains.