I hid out on the front porch
I laid up in my mind
I looked for me a love
The best one I could find
He got himself a ticket on an international flight

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But a goddamn shame
Is what it is
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The smell of burnt exhaust
Drifts into the bar
It?s midnight in California
It?s high noon where you are
Motorcycles and booze, dirty old perfume

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I tried to go to sleep
In my haunted little room
The shadows are churning
In the passage of the moon
It?d break my heart to tell you, I couldn?t come so soon

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Tell me one more time
Why you went away
It makes a little sense
In the light of day
When evening comes around all my senses fly away

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