

# Paths Will Cross

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This is it my dear old friend  
Our paths it seems are at an end for now  
Though in time we floated free  
We're are pulled by separate gravities to ground

But it's clear in the way we part  
With our hearts together but our hands apart  
And it seems so hard to begin  
Best friends we'll always be  
Though your road don't follow me  
I know our paths will cross again

Time has turned her face from me  
And spin spirals fancy free I flew  
With nothing but the dawn to see  
And now I've got my memories of you

Well the road is windi' and road is hard  
And there's no telling just how far  
Or how many letters I might send  
One day you'll walk with me  
Against all probability  
I know our paths with cross again

Time is like this fast freight train  
You gotta ride, you can't remain behind  
And all your friends are on separate tracks  
And some of them and some of them they won't look back to find

The one place we all have known  
The one place we can call a home  
The place where each of us began  
Sure as that day rolls around  
When the road back home is finally found  
I know our paths will cross again

Now my home is in a far off land  
Where love and time have made their stand against me  
And that's probably where I'm gonna stay  
It's probably where they'll marry me some day

But after all is come and gone  
And after every songs been sung there  
Comes a thought I won't defend  
Sure stones are left unturned  
And on the streets where home fires burn  
I know our paths will cross again