

# The Night The Carousel Burnt Down

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Weren't you there when the carousel burned down  
The fire and confusion, the smoke and the sound  
I swear you were there when the carousel burned down  
We were all around  
The rings charred and tarnished all over the ground  
And the heads hung down  
And we all left town the next day

The children all cried when the carousel burned down  
The old ladies sighed and the carousel burned down  
The rest of us lied as the carousel burned down  
And the flames did fly  
The pipes steamed and shrieked out a blazing goodbye  
As the boiler died  
And they melted down the midway  
And we all left town the next day