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### THE VALUE OF SUFFERING

In a station, Grand Central  
I was hurtin' to escape my ache  
a railway rendezvous  
away from You.  
My soul—in real bad shape.

Well little did I know  
my train had broken down  
wrecked—just like my life.  
Just then the Engineer  
Decided to appear  
And he offered this advice:

He said: Hop on board the pain train.  
Sure it hurts, but not like hell.  
Ride on with Jesus,  
He'll make you well, boy  
Soon it'll be pain, plus pure joy.

What do you mean, joy  
I asked him in a rage.  
I've tried booze and women  
And needles too  
Cuz suffering is something I can't do.

And now you say,  
Ride some train  
Towards the pain  
I asked him, what good can that be?  
Does God want to hurt me?

He said: Hop on board the pain train.  
Sure it hurts, but not like hell.  
Ride on with Jesus,  
He'll make you well, boy  
Soon it'll be pain, plus pure joy.

Then I saw the Lord  
He climbed on in,  
And shouted "All aboard!"  
And I hopped on, too.  
The pain's not so bad  
With Jesus sitting next to you.

Ride on, ride on  
Jesus is gonna take it all away  
Everything ya feel  
He felt it too  
And it did it all  
To strengthen you.