

Runaway Train

Soul Asylum

[Intro]

C

[Verse 1]

C

Call you up in the middle of the night

Cadd9/B

Like a firefly without a light

Am

You were there like a blowtorch burning

G

I was a key that could use a little turning

C

So tired that I couldn't even sleep

Cadd9/B

So many secrets I couldn't keep

Am

Promised myself I wouldn't weep

G

One more promise I couldn't keep

[Pre-Chorus]

F

G

It seems no one can help me now

C

I'm in too deep

Am

There's no way out

F

Em

G

This time I have really lead myself astray

[Chorus]

C/E

Runaway train never going back

Em

Wrong way on a oneway track

Am

Seems like I should be getting somewhere

G

Somehow I'm neither here nor there

[Verse 2]

C

Can you help me remember how to smile?

Cadd9/B

Make it somehow all seem worthwhile

Am

How on earth did I get so jaded?

G

Life's mysteries seem so faded

C

I can go where no one else can go

Cadd9/B

I know what no one else knows

Am

Here I am, just drowning in the rain

G

With a ticket for a runaway train

[Pre-Chorus]

F

G

And everything seems cut and dry

C

Day and night

Am

Earth and sky

F

Em

G

Somehow I just don't believe it

[Chorus]

C/E

Runaway train never going back

Em

Wrong way on a oneway track

Am

Seems like I should be getting somewhere

G

Somehow I'm neither here nor there

[Interlude]

C Em Am G
F G C Am
F Em G

[Verse 3]

C
Bought a ticket for a runaway train
Cadd9/B
Like a madman laughing at the rain
Am
A little out of touch, little insane
G
It's just easier than dealing with the pain

[Chorus]

C/E
Runaway train never going back
Em
Wrong way on a oneway track
Am
Seems like I should be getting somewhere
G
Somehow I'm neither here nor there
C/E
Runaway train never coming back
Em
Runaway train tearing up the track
Am
Runaway train burning in my veins
G
I run away but it always seems the same

[Outro]

C/E Em Am G

[Fade out]

C/E Em Am G