

KING OF THE ROAD

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Start note: C

Time: 4/4

Key: C

Strum: d du d du

Intro: C/// F/// C/// C↓

C F G7 C
Trailer for sale or rent rooms to let fifty cents
C F G7↓ G7↓
No phone no pool no pets.... I ain't got no cigarettes ah but
C F G7 C
Two hours of pushing brooms buys an... eight by twelve four-bit room
C F G7↓↓ C
I'm a man of means by no means..... King of the Road

C F G7 C
Third box car midnight train..... destination Stoney Plain
F G7↓ G↓
Old worn out suit and shoes.... I don't pay no union dues
C F G7 C
I smoke.... old stogies I have found.... short but not too big around
C F G7↓↓ C
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Bridge:

C F
I know every engineer on every train
G7 C
All of the children and all of their names
F
And every handout in every town
G7↓ G7↓ G7↓ G7
And every lock that ain't locked when no ones around I sing

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