

**Runaway Train**  
**Soul Asylum**

[Intro]

**C Em Am G**

[Verse 1]

**C**

Call you up in the middle of the night

**Em/B**

Like a firefly without a light

**Am**

You were there like a blowtorch burnin

**G**

I was a key that could use a little turnin

**C**

So tired that I couldn't even sleep

**Em**

So many secrets I couldn't keep

**Am**

Promised myself I wouldn't weep

**G**

One more promise I couldn't keep

**F**

**G**

It seems no one can help me now

**C**

**Am**

I'm in too deep there's no way out

**F**

**Em**

**G**

This time I have really led myself astray

[Chorus]

**C**

Runaway train never going back

**Em**

Wrong way on a one way 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

**Em**

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

**Em**

I know what no one else knows

**Am**

Here I am just drowning in the rain

**G**

With a ticket for a runaway train

**F**

**G**

And everything seems cut and dry

**C**

**Am**

Day and night, Earth and sky

**F**

**Em**

**G**

Somehow I just don't believe it

[Chorus]

**C**

Runaway train never going back

**Em**

Wrong way on a one way track

**Am**

Seems like I should be getting somewhere

**G**

Somehow I'm neither here nor there

[Bridge]

**C**

Got a ticket for a runaway train

**Em**

Like a madman laughing at the rain

**Am**

Little out of touch little insane

**G**

It's just easier than dealing with the pain

**C**

Runaway train never going back

**Em**

Wrong way on a one way track

**Am**

Seems like I should be getting somewhere

**G**

Somehow I'm neither here nor there

**C**

Runaway train never coming back

**Em**

Runaway train tearing up the track

**Am**

Runaway train burning in my veins

**G**

Id runaway but it always seems the same

[Outro]

