

A Land Called Way Out There
Tom Russell

[Intro]

G D G D
D G D A D

[Verse]

James Dean died neath the **G D** tree of heaven
Near the old Jack Ranch CafÃ©
A D
Brother Donald Turnupspeed
G D
Must have looked the wrong old way
A D

[Verse]

Oh, that **G D** German car was burning
As the hawks took to the air
A D
Forty miles from Paso Robles
G D
In a land called, Way Out There
A D

[Chorus]

In a land called, Way out there , my brothers
G D
In a land called, Way Out There
A D
Forty miles from Paso Robles
G D
In a land called, Way Out There
A D

[Verse]

Come look outside my window, mama
G D
Something wicked this way comes
A D
The carnival is breaking ground
G D
With its roustabouts and bums
A D

[Verse]

And the hoochie koochie dancing girls
G D

A D
With sawdust in their hair

G D
And the band played John Phillip Sousa

A D
In a land called, Way Out There

[Chorus]

G D
In a land called, Way out there , my brothers

A D
In a land called, Way Out There

G D
And the band played John Phillip Sousa

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In a land called, Way Out There

[Instrumental]

D G D A D G D A D

[Verse]

G D
Oh, all we ve learned about love and violence

A D
Comes from bibles and movie magazines

G D
But what goes down in the trenches, baby

A D
It s like nothing you ve ever seen

[Verse]

G D
People tearing people up

A D
Good god, it makes me scared

G D
Heaven take me beyond all this

A D
To a land called, Way Up There

[Chorus]

G D
In a land called, Way out there , my brothers

A D
In a land called, Way Out There

G D
Heaven take me beyond all this

A D
To a land called, Way Up There

[Outro]

G D
James Dean died neath the tree of heaven

A D

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