

## **HOMEWARD BOUND (PAUL SIMON. 1965) \***

**C** **Em** **Gm6 A7**  
I'm sitting in the railway station, Got a ticket for my destination,

**Dm** **Bb**  
On a tour of one-night stands, my suitcase and guitar in hand

**C** **G7** **C**  
And every stop is neatly planned for a poet and a one-man band.

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**Chorus:**

**C** **F** **C**  
Homeward Bound, I wish I was,

**(C)** **F** **C** **Dm C Bb F**  
Homeward Bound, Home where my thought's es-cap-ing,

**C** **Dm C Bb F**  
Home where my mu-sic's playing,

**C** **Dm C Bb F G7 C**  
Home where my love lies waiting, silently for me.

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Every day's an endless stream of cigarettes and magazines.  
And each town looks the same to me, the movies and the factories  
And every stranger's face I see reminds me that I long to be,  
Homeward Bound, I wish I was,  
Homeward Bound, Home where my thought's escaping,  
Home where my music's playing, Home where my love lies waiting  
Silently for me

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Tonight I'll sing my songs again, I'll play the game and pretend.  
But all my words come back to me in shades of mediocrity  
Like emptiness in harmony I need someone to comfort me.  
Homeward Bound I wish I was,  
Homeward Bound, Home where my thought's escaping,  
Home where my music's playing, Home where my love lies waiting  
Silently for me

**C7 C**  
Silently for me