

FIVE HUNDRED MILES (HEDY WEST, 1961)

G **Em** **Am** **C**
If you miss the train I'm on, You will know that I am gone

Am **D** **G** **Em**
You can hear the whistle blow a hundred miles. A hundred miles, A hundred miles,

Am **D** **Am** **G**
A hundred miles, A hundred miles, You can hear the whistle blow a hundred miles

Em **Am**
Lord I'm one, Lord I'm two, Lord I'm three, Lord I'm four,

D **C** **G**
Lord, I'm five hundred miles from my home

Em **Am** **D** **G**
500 miles, 500 miles, 500 miles, 500 miles, Lord, I'm 500 miles from my home.

Em **Am** **D** **G**
Not a shirt on my back, not a penny to my name, Lord I can't go back home this a-way

Em **Am** **D** **G**
This a-way, this a-way, this a-way, this a-way; Lord I can't go back home this a-way

Em **Am**
Well, I'm walking these ties, with tears in my eyes

D **C** **G**
Trying to read a letter from my home

Em **Am**
From my home, from my home, from my home, from my home

D **C** **G** **Em**
Trying to read a letter from my home. If this train's running right

Am **D** **C** **G**
I'll be home by Saturday night. I'm five hundred miles away from home

Em **Am**
Away from home, away from home, away from home. away from home

D **G**
I'm five hundred miles away from home