<u>INTRO</u> **C** (x4)

STRUM 1 2 & 3 & 4

VERSE 1

C

Call you up in the middle of the night

Em

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

Εm

So many secrets I couldn't keep

Am

Promised myself I wouldn't weep

G

One more promise I couldn't keep

BRIDGE 1

F (

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

 \overline{C}

Runaway train never going back

Εm

Wrong way on a one-way track

Am

Seems like I should be get-ting somewhere

G

Somehow I'm neither here nor there

RUNAWAY TRAIN CONTINUED

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VERSE 2 C
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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

BRIDGE 2

F G

Everything seems cut 'n' dry

C Am

Day and night, earth and sky,

F Em (

Somehow I-I just don't believe it

Chorus then. . .

INSTRUMENTAL

C,C, Em, Em, Am, Am, G, G, 1st (4 lines of Verse 1) F, G, C, Am, F, Em, G, G, (over bridge)

VERSE 3 (softly)

C/ tacit

Bought a ticket for a runaway train

Em/ tacit

Like a madman laughing at the rain

Am/ tacit

Little out of touch, little insane

G

It's just easier than dealing with the pain

CHORUS then. . .

C

Runaway train, never coming back

Em

Runaway train, tearing up the track,

Am

Runaway train, burning in my face

G

Runaway but it always seems the same

<u>OUTRO</u> C, C, Em, Em, Am, Am, G, G (x 2 ending C/)