

Waiting for the Train

Tony Manning

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G Bm C D G VERSE 1:
I been

G Bm C D
walk-in' to the sta-tion, I been wait-in' for the train ev'-ry day since nine - teen six-ty -

G G Bm
nine But I ne-ver saw one com-in', ne-ver heard the en-gine hum-min' And still

C D G CHORUS: Em
I keep wait - in' for a sign Well if pa - tience is a vir-tue and wait

D C D
- ing can-not hurt you, I'm in hea-ven with an-gels by my side But I'm not

Tony wrote this song to celebrate the reopening of the Borders Railway line in 2015.
We have performed the song many times, including on the train.

one for the here - af - ter, just a bit of fun and laugh - ter, So I'm

go - ing up to Em - bra for a ride

INSTRUMENTAL VERSE & CHORUS

VERSE 2:

Now I hear the whistle blowin', and I hear the engine slowin'
 And I know the train will be hear in a while
 So farewell Doctor Beeching, though your axe it was far-reaching
 The next stop is Copshie, then Carlisle

CHORUS

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VERSE 3:

I been walkin' to the station, I been waitin' for the train
 Ev'ry day since nineteen sixty-nine
 And now I see it comin', I can hear the engine hummin'
 Yes, the ghost train is rollin' in on time

CHORUS

Yes I'm going up to Embra for a ride