# ReturnoftheMountainAngelLyrics Only

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The Cumberland moon in a cold mountain sky

Kindled the hopes in the mountain girl’s eyes,

The Cumberland wind it whispered the way

To unlock the chains that bound her to stay

She lit out of the hollow, she would not be denied

Cross county line, state line, Continental Divide,

As the dirt road turned blacktop then interstate track

She vowed to her soul she would never go back

She sails like the clouds in the Tennessee sky

And falls like a tear from a lost lover’s eye

She glides like a waltz ‘cross a honky tonk floor

And rings like the strain of an angelic chord

As she traveled life’s highway her hopes did descend

‘Cause the road it was rocky and paved with lament,

She swapped passion and real love and heartfelt desires

For the safety and comfort of a great compromise

She penned chapter and verse for no one to see

While her heart and her soul sang out to be free,

And often she felt that love’s just left to chance

When all it might take is a meaningful glance

She sails like the clouds in the Tennessee sky

And falls like a tear from a lost lover’s eye

She glides like a waltz ‘cross a honky tonk floor

And rings like the strain of an angelic chord

Alone and forsaken, she cried for release

Then a Cumberland wind blew in from the east,

It dried ‘way her tears and it drove the dark clouds

Under Cumberland moonlight she took back her vow

She flies through the darkness towards dawn’s early light

Although she is weary her wings they make flight,

The power of love it draws her along

If the good Lord is willing she’ll make home by dawn

She sails like the clouds in the Tennessee sky

And falls like a tear from a lost lover’s eye

She glides like a waltz ‘cross a honky tonk floor

And rings like the strain of an angelic chord

Yeah she rings like the strain of an angelic chord