

## **Jethro Tull - Locomotive breath (1972)**

In the shuffling madness  
Of the locomotive breath  
Runs the all-time loser  
Headlong to his death  
He feels the piston scraping  
Steam breaking on his brow  
Old Charlie stole the handle and  
The train won't stop going  
No way to slow down  
He sees his children jumping off  
At the stations - one by one  
His woman and his best friend  
In bed and having fun  
He's crawling down the corridor  
On his hands and knees  
Old Charlie stole the handle and  
The train won't stop going  
No way to slow down

He hears the silence howling  
Catches angels as they fall  
And the all-time winner  
Has got him by the balls  
He picks up Gideons Bible  
Open at page one  
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The train won't stop going  
No way to slow down