

Steam Powered Aereo Plane - John Hartford

The other members of the Aereo-Plain Band were [Norman Blake](#), [Vassar Clements](#), [Tut Taylor](#), and [Randy Scruggs](#). Hartford instructed producer [David Bromberg](#) to "let the tapes roll, we don't want to hear playbacks until you've put the master together."

G Am
Well I dreamt I went away on a steam powered aeroplane.
C G
Well I went and stayed and I damn near didn't come back again.
Am
Didn't go very fast on a steam powered aeroplane,
C G
Oh the wheel went around, up and down, and inside and then back again.

(Chorus)

Am G
Sittin' in a 747 just watching them clouds roll by,
Am G
Can't tell if it's sunshine or it's rain (hain hain hain).
Am G
Rather be sittin' in a deck chair high up over Kansas City,
Am Bm* C* D
On a genuine old-fashioned authentic steam powered aero plane.

(Break)

G Am
Well I'd like to be a pilot on a steam powered aeroplane.
C G
Well I'd pull that pilot wheel around and then back again.
Am
Well, I'd wear a blue hat,yeah, that says Steam Powered Aeroplane
C G
With letters that go all around the rim and then back again.

(Chorus)

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