SIMPLE TWIST OF FATE – Bob Dylan

They sat together in the park
As the evening sky grew dark,
She looked at him & he felt a spark tingle to his bones
t’was then he felt alone & wished that he’d gone straight
And watched out for a simple twist of fate.

They walked along by the old canal
A little confused, I remember well
& stopped into a strange hotel with the neon burnin’ bright
He felt the heat of the night it hit him, like a freight train moving with a simple twist of fate.

A saxophone somewhere, far-off played
As she was walkin’ by the arcade.
As a light burst through a beat-up shade where He was wakin up
She dropped a coin into a cup of a blind man at the gate
And forgot about a simple twist of fate.
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He woke up, the room was bare
He didn’t see her anywhere.

He told himself he didn’t care pushed the window open wide
Felt an emptiness inside to which he just could not relate
Brought on by a simple twist of fate.

He hears the ticking of the clocks
and walks along with a parrot that talks,
Hunts her down by the waterfront docks where the sailors all come in
maybe she’ll pick him out again how long must he wait
One more time for a simple twist of fate.

People tell me it’s a sin
To know and feel too much within.
I still believe she was my twin, but I lost the ring
Ya know she was born in spring but I was born too late
Blame it on a simple twist of fate.