

100 Famous Simile Examples in Songs

- “My heart’s like an open highway” – *It’s My Life* by Bon Jovi
- “You were as blind as you can be” – *The Night Before* by The Beatles
- “Shining like a work of art” – *Hanging by a Moment* by Lifehouse
- “Time grabs you by the wrist, directs you where to go like a winding road” – *Good Riddance (Time of Your Life)* by Green Day
- “Words like violence, break the silence” – *Enjoy the Silence* by Depeche Mode
- “Spinning like a broken record” – *For What It’s Worth* by Placebo
- “Your love’s got me looking so crazy right now, like it’s ghostly” – *Crazy in Love* by Beyoncé ft. Jay-Z
- “But her soul slides away like a ghost” – *Don’t Look Back in Anger* by Oasis
- “Waiting for love, like a desert waiting for rain” – *Waiting for Love* by Avicii
- “She’s dancing like she’s never danced before” – *Maniac* by Michael Sembello
- “I am a rock, I am an island like a rock feels no pain” – *I Am a Rock* by Simon & Garfunkel
- “She acts like summer and walks like rain” – *Drops of Jupiter* by Train
- “You sting like a bee but you’re still my honey” – *Hold Up* by Beyoncé
- “Love like a tidal wave” – *Eternal Flame* by The Bangles
- “My love for you is like a truck” – *Berserker* by Love Among Freaks
- “In the day we sweat it out like a runaway American dream” – *Born to Run* by Bruce Springsteen
- “I feel as helpless as a boat against the tide” – *If I Ever Lose My Faith In You* by Sting

- “Crying like a fire in the sun” – *Visions of Johanna* by Bob Dylan
- “She’s as sweet as tupelo honey” – *Tupelo Honey* by Van Morrison
- “It’s like thunder, lightning, the way you love me is frightening” – *Knock On Wood* by Eddie Floyd
- “You cut me open and I keep bleeding, like a leaky faucet” – *Bleeding Love* by Leona Lewis
- “My love is alive like a beating heart” – *Love Alive* by Heart
- “Love her like the devil when you get back home” – *The Weight* by The Band
- “Feels like I’m knocking on heaven’s door” – *Knockin’ on Heaven’s Door* by Bob Dylan
- “Our love’s like a song, but you won’t sing along” – *Don’t Forget* by Demi Lovato
- “Fading away like the stars in the morning” – *Losing My Religion* by R.E.M.
- “Kiss me like a final meal” – *Good Kisser* by Usher
- “I’m feeling like a bullet jumping out a gun” – *Cheated Hearts* by Yeah Yeah Yeahs
- “It’s like a million little stars spelling out your name” – *Untouched* by The Veronicas
- “My love like a voice calling out to me” – *Silver Springs* by Fleetwood Mac
- “Her beauty’s crazy, I watch her like a hawk” – *Crush* by Yuna ft. Usher
- “Sweet like candy to my soul” – *Crash into Me* by Dave Matthews Band
- “Racing around like the cars on the radio” – *Radio* by Lana Del Rey
- “She’s like a one-way ticket, takes you miles high” – *Elevator* by Flo Rida ft. Timbaland
- “My world is spinning like a spinning top” – *Tumbling Dice* by The Rolling Stones
- “I need you like a heart needs a beat” – *Apologize* by OneRepublic
- “Lift my days, light up my nights like a summer’s day” – *You Make Loving Fun* by Fleetwood Mac

- “My love for you’s like a mountain spring” – *Constant Craving* by k.d. lang
- “Feeling like a drum without a beat” – *Alone* by Heart
- “Raging on like a thunderstorm” – *Inside Out* by The Chainsmokers ft. Charlee
- “Swinging like an old playground swing” – *Simple Life* by Elton John
- “Shine like a beacon in the night” – *Stand by You* by Rachel Platten
- “Your love’s like rhinestones falling from the sky” – *So Happy I Could Die* by Lady Gaga
- “She shines like a diamond in a coal mine” – *Queen of California* by John Mayer
- “Move like a fugitive tonight” – *Dance Again* by Jennifer Lopez ft. Pitbull
- “Glowing like the metal on the edge of a knife” – *Paradise by the Dashboard Light* by Meat Loaf
- “Shaking like a leaf on a desert tree” – *Human* by The Killers
- “Your love came to me like the wind through the trees” – *Got Me* by Lauren Daigle
- “Roll like a stone in the wind on the road” – *Big Wheels* by Electric Light Orchestra
- “Breathe out like a river’s stream” – *Breathe* by Pink Floyd
- “Love like a flame, burns you when it’s hot” – *Love Hurts* by Nazareth
- “I’m spinning like a satellite in the midnight sky” – *Lost Stars* by Adam Levine
- “She walks like a dream and talks like a rainbow” – *Pretty Girl Rock* by Keri Hilson
- “You hit me like the sky fell on me” – *California Gurls* by Katy Perry ft. Snoop Dogg
- “Heartbeat as loud as thunder” – *Every Breath You Take* by The Police
- “Feel like I’m floating when the rest have their feet on the ground” – *Astronaut* by Simple Plan
- “Hope like the morning sun is always shining” – *Hope* by Jack Johnson

- “Lost like a tear in the rain” – *All By Myself* by Celine Dion
- “Flowing like a river to the sea” – *You Are My Lady* by Freddie Jackson
- “Love’s like a knife but it feels so right” – *Still Loving You* by Scorpions
- “Her voice, soft as the summer rain” – *Stuck on You* by Lionel Richie
- “Heart like a wheel, turning away from anything that’s real” – *Heart Like a Wheel* by The Human League
- “Life like a merry-go-round going in circles” – *Life* by Ne-Yo
- “Love’s like a shadow, when you chase it, it runs away” – *The Sweet Escape* by Gwen Stefani ft. Akon
- “Feeling like a hand in rusted chains” – *Jeremy* by Pearl Jam
- “Speak like silence, without ideals or violence” – *Don’t Think Twice, It’s Alright* by Bob Dylan
- “Melt like a snowflake in my hands” – *Tonight, Tonight* by The Smashing Pumpkins
- “Heartache like a storm that won’t let go” – *Unbreak My Heart* by Toni Braxton
- “You love her like a hurricane, fierce and wild” – *Adore* by Prince
- “Feeling like a drop in the ocean” – *A Drop in the Ocean* by Ron Pope
- “Love like a fever and it’s burning me alive” – *No Light, No Light* by Florence + The Machine
- “Rise like a phoenix, out of the ashes” – *Rise Like a Phoenix* by Conchita Wurst
- “Burn like a star in a brand new day” – *New Day* by Alicia Keys
- “Shine like gold, buzz like a bee” – *Just the Way You Are* by Bruno Mars
- “Gone like a freight-train, gone like yesterday” – *Gone* by Montgomery Gentry
- “Fade like a rose in the summer heat” – *Bed of Roses* by Bon Jovi
- “Swing like Sinatra, pouring like rain” – *Oh My Goodness* by Olly Murs
- “Hurt like the deep blue sea” – *Best Thing I Never Had* by Beyoncé
- “She’s wild like the flowers, dances for hours” – *She’s Electric* by Oasis

- “Falling like the autumn leaves, gentle and slowly” – *Autumn Leaves* by Ed Sheeran ft. Paulo Nutini
- “Heart beats like a drum, calling to a love yet to come” – *A Little Respect* by Erasure
- “Floating like a butterfly, stinging like a bee” – *Black Superman* by Johnny Wakelin
- “Shine like a midnight sun in the darkest of nights” – *You Got The Love* by Florence + The Machine
- “Love hits you like a truck, without a warning” – *Tattoo* by Jordin Sparks
- “Cry like a river, flowing to the sea of despair” – *Cry Me A River* by Justin Timberlake
- “Shine like a diamond in the rough, amidst the coal” – *Diamonds* by Rihanna
- “Melt like sugar, sweet and slow” – *Pour Some Sugar On Me* by Def Leppard
- “Run like the wind, unstoppable and free” – *Run To You* by Bryan Adams
- “Burning like a candle at both ends, fast and fleeting” – *Burn* by Ellie Goulding
- “She moves like a cat, graceful and mysterious” – *Stray Cat Strut* by Stray Cats
- “Loud like a siren’s call, beckoning danger” – *Sirens* by Cher Lloyd
- “Glow like the city lights, in the heart of the night” – *City of Blinding Lights* by U2
- “Heart breaks like glass, shattering to pieces” – *Jar of Hearts* by Christina Perri
- “Rising like the tide, powerful and inevitable” – *The Tide is High* by Blondie
- “Feel like an astronaut in space, distant and floating” – *Astronaut* by Tyler, the Creator
- “Light up like the Fourth of July, explosive and bright” – *Firework* by Katy Perry
- “Swirling like the autumn wind, taking away all the fallen leaves” – *Windy* by The Association
- “Burn like a star, distant yet bright” – *Counting Stars* by OneRepublic

- “Dream like the endless night, full of stars and mysteries” – *Teenage Dream* by Katy Perry
- “Feel like an old blues song, deep with soul and history” – *Feeling Good* by Nina Simone

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