

## **The Crookedest Railroad**

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Mill Valley, Cali-forn-i-a

Its the late 1800s, we get all dressed up  
And board a curvy, windy ride  
It starts in Mill Valley and goes up Mt Tamalpais  
Lots of tourists come from far and wide

The steam engine whistles when it leaves from the station  
We'll take two hundred eighty one curves  
We climb up 8 miles in the open-air cars  
Left then right then left then right then swerve

There are gravity cars leaving Mt Tam's East Peak,  
a brakeman works a lever to stop or slow  
In the fresh mountain air we can ride to Muir Woods  
Or head on back to the depot

In 1929 there was a terrible fire  
It burned on the mountain for 3 days  
Animals fled, there was bunnies, foxes and snakes  
Running from the fire to keep safe

The fire destroyed a station and lots of railroad track  
Afterwards, the railroad, would never make it back