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..... [D] up the only [D] one who ever [G] loved you [E7]

And went [A] back to that [A7] wild side of [D] life [A]

Well you [D] wouldn't read my [D] letters if I [G] wrote you [G]

You [A] asked me not to [A7] call you on the [D] 'phone [A]

Well there's [D] something I've been [D] waiting for to [G] tell you [G]

So I [A] wrote it in the [A7] words of a [D] song [A]

Now the [D] glamour of the [D] gay, night life has [G] lured you [G]

To the [A] places where the [A7] wine and liquor [D] flow [A]

Well you [D] went to be [D] somebody else's [G] baby [G]

And for-[A]-got the truest [A7] love you'll ever [D] know [A]

I never [D] knew God made [D] honky-tonk [G] angels [G]

Though I [A] might have known you'd [A7] never make a [D] wife [A]

You gave [D] up the only [D] one who ever [G] loved you [E7]

And went [A] back to that [A7] wild side of [D] life [A]

Well I [D] know that if I [D] tried again to [G] see you [G]

It would [A] surely bring me [A7] down and make me [D] sad [A]

'Cos those [D] mem'ries that I [D] hold that used to be [G] you [G]

Are [A] turning from those [A7] good ones into [D] bad [A]

I never [D] knew God made [D] honky-tonk [G] angels [G]

Though I [A] might have known you'd [A7] never make a [D] wife [A]

You gave [D] up the only [D] one who ever [G] loved you [E7]

And went [A] back to that [A7] wild side of [D] life [D]

Yes, you gave [D] up the only [D] one who ever [G] loved you [E7]

And went [A] back to that [A7] wild side of D// life G// D↓ A7↓ D↓