

# Wild Rover

D D D G (G)  
 I've been a wild rover for many a long year  
 D A A D (D)  
 And I've spent all me money on whiskey and beer  
 D D D G (G)  
 And now I'm returnin' with gold in great store  
 D A A D  
 And I never will play the wild rover no more...

Verse: D D D G (G)  
 D A A D (D)  
 D D D G (G)  
 D A A D

## Chorus:

A A A A  
 ...And it's no, nay, never  
 D D G G  
 No, nay, never, no more  
 D D G G  
 Will I play, the wild rover  
 A A D D  
 No never, no more

Chorus: A A A A  
 D D G G  
 D D G G  
 A A D D

I went to an alehouse I used to frequent  
 And I told the landlady me money's all spent  
 I asked her for credit, she answered me, "Nay,  
 Such a custom as yours, I can have any day!"... (Chorus)

Then from out of me pocket, I pulled sovereigns bright  
 And the landlady's eyes opened wide with delight  
 She said, "I've got whiskeys and wines of the best,  
 And the words that I spoke, Sir, were only in jest"... (Chorus)

I'll go home to my parents, confess what I've done  
 And hope they will pardon their prodigal son  
 And if they forgive me, as oft-times before  
 Then I never will play the wild rover no more... (Chorus)

~~1st string lead, verse (play twice)~~

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