

WILD ROVER

Verse 1. C

G7

I've been a wild ro-ver this ma-ny a year and I've

spent all my mo-ney on whi-sky and beer but

now I'll give o-ver my mo-ney I'll store and I'll

CHORUS

play the wild ro-ver wild ro-ver no more and it's

no ne-ver

ne-ver ne-ver no more.

he-ver ne-ver no more will I be a

wild ro-ver no more.

Verse 2: I went to a shanty ...

Verse 3: Then out of my pocket ...

Instrumental verse and chorus

Verse 4: I'll go to my parents ...

WILD ROVER - C

1.

I've (C) been a wild rover this (G7) many a year
And I've spent all my money on (C) whiskey and beer.
But now I'll give over, my (F) money I'll store,
And I'll (C) play the wild rover, wild (G7) rover no (C) more.

Ch.

And it's nay, no, never. (F) Never never no (C) more.
(F) Never never no (C) more will I (Am) be
A (C) wild (G7) rover no (C) more.

2.

I went (C) into a shanty I (G7) used to frequent
And I told the landlady my (C) money was spent.
I asked her for credit, she (F) answered me 'Nay
Such (C) custom as yours I can (G7) get any (C) day'.

3.

Then (C) out of my pocket I (G7) took sovereigns bright
And the landlady's eyes opened (C) wide with delight.
She said 'I have whiskey and (F) wines of the best
And the (C) words that I said they were (G7) only in (C) jest'.

Instrumental break

4.

I'll go (C) home to my parents, con- (G7) fess what I've done.
I'll ask them to pardon their (C) prodigal son.
And when they've caressed me as (F) oft times before
I (C) never will play the wild (G7) rover no (C) more.