

LUCILLE

C
In a bar in Toledo across from the depot

G
On a barstool, she took off her ring

Dm **G**
I thought I'd get closer so I walked on over

Dm **G** **C**
I sat down and asked her name

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C
When the drinks finally hit her she said "I'm no quitter

F
But I finally quit livin' on dreams

G
I'm hungry for laughter and here ever after

F **C**
I'm after whatever the other life brings"

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C
In the mirror, I saw him and I closely watched him

G
I thought how he looked out of place

Dm **G**
He came to the woman who sat there beside me

Dm **G** **C**
He had a strange look on his face

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C
The big hands were calloused, he looked like a mountain

F
For a minute I thought I was dead

G
But he started shaking, his big heart was breaking

F **C**
He turned to the woman and said

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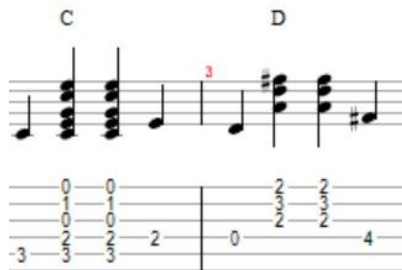
C **F**
You picked a fine time to leave me, Lucille

C
With four hungry children and a crop in the field

F
I've had some bad times, lived through some sad times

C
But this time your hurting won't heal

G **F**
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KENNY ROGERS

D
After he left us, I ordered more whiskey

A
I thought how she'd made him look small

Em
From the lights of the barroom

A
To a rented hotel room

Em **A** **D**
We walked without talking at all

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She was a beauty but when she came to me

G
She must have thought I'd lost my mind

A
I couldn't hold her 'cause the words that he told her

G **D**
Kept coming back time after time

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INTRO

