

# **I Wanna Be A Country Singer**

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Daddy Used To Play Guitar, And Sing In A Country Band  
Going On The Road He'd Take My Mama And Me  
I Grew Up In A World Of Neon Lights And One Night Stands  
I've Been Through A Hundred Towns By The Time I Was Three

I Can See Him Now In His High Heeled Boots, Battered Old Guitar  
Driving His Beat Up Forty Nine Chevrolet  
And When Mama Got Tired Of Spending  
Her Life In Hotel Rooms And Bars  
Daddy Just Kind Of Kissed Her Cheek And This Is What He'd Say:

“I Wanna Be A Country Singer, I Wanna Make The People Cry  
To Sing Those Sad Sweet Country Songs Brings A Tear To Your Eye  
I Wanna Be A Country Singer I Make Them Wanna Sing Along  
When They Hear My Down Home Melodies  
And Stories 'Bout A Love Gone Wrong”

I Get So Tired Of One Night Stands And Honky Tonks And Bars  
Now Home's Alone In The Hotel Room Each Night  
Until I Step Upon The Stage With My Daddy's Old Guitar  
I Close My Eyes And Start To play And Everything's Alright

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I Learned The Words When I Was Five, At Six I Knew the Melodies  
Took My Daddy's Guitar And Taught Myself To Play  
By The Time That I Was Seven I Knew Just What I Would Be  
And My Daddy Couldn't Help But Smile Whenever He'd Hear Me Say:

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