

**Keep Your Heart Young**  
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Keep Your Heart Young - Brandi Carlile  
Tuned Down a Half Step

[Verse]

**G** **C** **G**  
Grandpa gave me a wheat penny and I put it in my pocket  
**G** **D**  
I had big plans in my back yard to build me a space rocket  
**G** **C** **G**  
I talked to my brother on a fake CB that I made from a tic-tac box  
**G** **D** **G**  
I packed my snowballs nice and tight but in the middle I put rocks

[Pre-Chorus]

**C** **G**  
Donâ€™t trade in your tic-tac box for a ball on the end of a chain  
**G** **D**  
And donâ€™t go spending Grandpaâ€™s pennies buying into the game

[Chorus]

**C** **G**  
You gotta keep your heart young  
**D** **Em**  
Donâ€™t go growin old before your time has come  
**C** **G**  
You canâ€™t take back what you have done  
**D** **G**  
Youâ€™ve gotta keep your heart young

[Verse]

Dad took the wheels off of my bike and he pushed me down a hill  
But speed got the best of me and I took my first spill  
That was back when alcohol was only used on cuts  
It stung like hell so I turned my leg and momma said itâ€™d give me guts

[Pre-Chorus]

Donâ€™t trade in your tic-tac box for a ball on the end of a chain

And donâ€™t go spending Grandpaâ€™s pennies buying into the game

[Chorus]

You gotta keep your heart young  
Donâ€™t go growin old before your time has come  
You canâ€™t take back what you have done  
Youâ€™ve gotta keep your heart young

[Verse]

So take a picture of the one you love and put it in a locket  
Go dig up your time capsule and the blue prints for your rocket  
Keep in touch on a fake CB, that same old tic-tac box  
Pack your snowballs a little less tight but in the middle still put rocks

[Chorus]

And keep your heart young  
Donâ€™t go growin old before your time has come  
You canâ€™t take back what you have done  
Youâ€™ve gotta keep your heart young

[Outro]

You gotta keep your heart young  
Sometimes you donâ€™t die quick  
Just like you wished youâ€™d done  
Though love is a loaded gun  
Youâ€™ve gotta keep your heart young  
You canâ€™t take back what you have done  
Youâ€™ve gotta keep your heart young