Stay A Little Longer
Chris Ross

This is a great song to listen to driving through the woods of Maine. Youtube the
song to get a feel for the strumming pattern and rhythm of the song! Capo the 2nd
fret for this one! :)

G(Barre chord) used in the Intro and the verses
E-3-
B-3-
G-4-
D-5-
A-5-
E-3-

In the intro and any time the into is played, Chris plays this when he s playing the C
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B-1-1-1-3-1-3-1-1-1-1-3-1-3-1-|
G-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-|
D-2-2-2-2-2-2-2-2-2-2-2-2-2-2-|
A-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-3-|
E-----------------------------|

Intro: G(Barre) C G(Barre) C

G(Barre)
Crossin border into my homeland I been
Up north seein my old man
          F
I didn t get much fuss, Comin through this time
Look forward to havin a puff, Just over that state line and I
G(Barre)
Rolled into Eustis just a little bit late gotta
Hefty grin I had tucked away
        F
Just a few miles back under a sweepin pine
Got the stereo on and the sun in my eyes and
G(Barre)
Stretch ahead got some lonely miles
Loggin trucks every once in a while
          F
I knew a girl here once, didn t catch her name
Just gave her a ride up to Sugarloaf Lane and it s

F (Strum once)
One of those things you can t take back
       C (Strum once)

Never say anything you shoulda said

An Open G chord is played during the chorus
E-3-
B-3-
G-0-
D-0-
A-2-
E-3-

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                C
Stay a little longer
         Bb
Maybe I ain t had enough of you yet
            F
Gimme just one more minute
                       Bb             F
One more minute and I won t ask you again
               C
I know it s a slow ride
            Bb
I know you really gotta go home
               F
Stay a little longer
               Bb      F
Just a little longer
           G(Barre)
Before ya go
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(Play Intro again)

I cruise on by that 45 sign man
I don t care let that hemi unwind
It s an open road, Ain t no cops in sight
Keepin watch for deer, creepin on the roadside and
I got lost just a few years past
This part of town ain t on the map
It s a backwoods way, Little short on time
God how things change, Now I can drive it blind and
Got some coffee in an Norridgewock store
Not much further till I hit Bangor
I knew a girl there once, She was wild n free
Gotta drunkards dream if I ever you see and it s

One of those things you can t take back
Never say anything you shoulda said

Stay a little longer
Baby have just another glass
Gimme just one more second
Just one more second and I ll try to make it last
Maybe just a sip of whiskey
And it s me you ll wanna hold

Stay a little longer
Just a little longer
Before ya go

(Intro)

Construction s heavy on the old frontier
Same spot they fixed last year
It s an uphill race, It s a one leg climb
Keepin one step up on the sands of time and
Up ahead fore ya hit the main drag there s a
Log house with a US flag
I knew a girl there once, God I fell so hard
It hurts every time but the first time scars and it s

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Never say anything you shoulda said

Stay a little longer
I think I ll die if you go away
Gimme just one more moment
Just one more moment and I ll stay out of your way
Maybe we were foolish
Maybe we never even had a hope
Stay a little longer
Just a little longer
Before ya go

(Intro)

Kill the engine at the old white farm
With the big sunflower on the barn
I knew a girl there once, She was old and wise
Had a travelers soul and a grandma s smile and it s

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Never say anything you shoulda said

Stay a little longer
Maybe I ain t had enough of you yet
Gimme just one more minute
Just one more minute and I won t ask you again
I know it s a slow ride
I know you really gotta go home
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End on G(Barre)