```
Dont Tell Mama
Gary Allan
```

--Don't tell mama-- Gary Allan

F

F

I was headed north on Highway Five

Bb

On a star-lit Sunday night

C

**C7** 

When a pick-up truck flew by me

F

out of control

F F7

As I watched in my headlights

Вb

He swerved left then back right

C C7

He never hit the brakes

F

As he left the road

F F

I found him lying in the  $\ensuremath{\operatorname{grass}}$ 

Bb

Among the steel and glass

C

C7

With an empty whiskey bottle

F

by his side

F F7

And through the blood and tears

Bb

He whispered in my ear

C

C7

A few last words

F

just before he died

F F7 Bb

Don t tell Mama I was drinkin

F C (

Lord knows her soul would never rest

F F7 B

I can t leave this world with Mama thinkin

C7 C I met the Lord with whiskey on my breath C F I still think about that night And how that young man died And how others sometimes pay for our mistakes F7 The last thing on his mind Bb As he left this world behind Was knowing someone else s heart would break F7

Don t tell Mama I was drinkin Lord knows her soul would never rest I can t leave this world with Mama thinkin I met the Lord with whiskey on my breath

F F7 Вb Don t tell Mama I was drinkin