

**Open Pit Mine**  
**George Jones**

Artist: George Jones  
Song: Open Pit Mine

G C G  
From Morenci, Arizona where the copper mines glow  
G G  
I could see Clifton in the canyon below  
G C G  
In Clifton lived Rosey, we danced and we dined  
G D G  
On the money I made in the open pit mine.

G C G  
I loved my sweet Rosey and she loved me too  
G G  
There was nothing for Rosey that I wouldn't do  
G C G  
Her hugs and her kisses, they were something divine  
G D G  
Gave me reason for working the open pit mine.

G C G  
While I was out walkin' with my Rosey one day  
G G  
We passed a store window with rings on display  
G C G  
I bought those she wanted, how they really did shine  
G D G  
Spent the money I saved from that open pit mine.

G C G  
Her love would bring heartbreak, that I would soon learn  
G G  
Cause she would two-time me when my back was turned  
G C G  
Rosey would go dancin' and drink the red wine  
G D G  
While I worked like a slave in that open pit mine.

G C G  
One night I caught Rosey on her rendezvous  
G G  
She was huggin' and kissin' with somebody new  
G C G  
It was there that I shot 'em while their arms were entwined  
G D G  
Then I buried her deep in that open pit mine.

**G** **C** **G**  
I took a look at my future and what did I see  
**G** **G**  
There was nothing but trouble a-waiting for me  
**G** **C** **G**  
But on the sun s next rising I ll be satisfied  
**G** **D** **G**  
Cause they ll find me there sleeping by my sweet Rosie s side.