

**Truckstop Angel**  
**Gretchen Peters**

GRETCHEN PETERS - TRUCKSTOP ANGEL

album version - DANCING WITH THE BEAST

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[CHORDS]

**Am Fmaj7 Gsus4 G F C Dm**  
e|-0---0-----3---3--1--0--1--|  
b|-1---1-----3---3--1--1--3--|  
g|-2---2-----5---4--2--0--2--|  
d|-2---3-----5---5--3--2--0--|  
a|-0---3-----5---5--3--3-----|  
e|-----3---3--1-----|

[INTRO]

**Am Fmaj7 Gsus4 G Am**  
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[VERSE 1]

**Am Fmaj7**  
I meet them in the truckstops, I meet them in the bars  
**G F**  
I meet them in the parking lots and I slip into their cars  
**Am Fmaj7**  
They come and put their money down, they come and place their bets  
**G F**  
I swallow their indifference, but I choke on my regrets

[INTERLUDE]

**Am Fmaj7 Gsus4 G Am**

[VERSE 2]

**Am Fmaj7**  
Sometimes they ask me questions sometimes they treat me nice  
**G F**  
You don't know what you'll get until you roll the dice  
**Am Fmaj7**  
You're a loser or a winner here, predator or prey  
**G F**  
I'm still not sure which one I am or how I got this way

[CHORUS]

And it s hard to hear the angels  
Over the dieselsâ€™ hum  
But I know they re out there singing  
And I ll know them when they come  
And I ll rise above the neon  
Above this trailer park  
And fly like a truckstop angel with an arrow through my heart

[INTERLUDE]

Am Fmaj7 Gsus4 G Am

[VERSE 3]

There s a big sky up above me there s a wasteland down below  
There s a long black snake of highway take you where you wanna go  
One day I m gonna leave here, gonna hit my lucky streak  
Gonna spread my gorgeous wings and fly above all this concrete

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[OUTRO]

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