

Kisses Sweeter Than Wine
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...KISSES SWEETER THAN WINE... by Jimmie Rodgers

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Verse 1:

F#m
Well, when I was a young man; never been kissed,
 Bm **F#m**
I got to thinkin it over how much I had missed.
 F#m
So I got me a girl and I kissed her and then, and then,
Bm **F#m**
Oh, Lordy, well, I kissed her again, because...

Chorus 1:

F#m **Bm** **C#7** **F#m**
She had kisses sweeter than wine,
 Bm (n.C) **F#m**
She had, mmm, mmm, kisses sweeter than wine.

 Gm
(Sweeter than wine)...

Verse 2:

Gm
Well, I asked her to marry and to be my sweet wife,
 Cm **Gm**
I told her we d be so happy for the rest of our life.
 Gm
I begged and I pleaded like a natural man,
 Cm (n.C)
And then, whoops oh Lordy, well she gave me her hand, because...

Chorus 2:

Gm **Cm** **D7** **Gm**
She had kisses sweeter than wine,
 Cm (n.C) **Gm**
She had, mmm, mmm, kisses sweeter than wine.

 G#m
(Sweeter than wine)...

Verse 3:

G#m
Well, we worked very hard; both me and my wife,
C#m **G#m**
Workin hand-in-hand to have a good life.
G#m
We had corn in the field and wheat in the bin,
C#m (n.C)
And then, whoops oh Lord, I was the father of twins, because...

Chorus 3:

G#m **C#m** **D#7** **G#m**
She had kisses sweeter than wine,
C#m (n.C) **G#m**
She had, mmm, mmm, kisses sweeter than wine.

Am
(Sweeter than wine)...

Verse 4:

Am
Well, our children they numbered just about four,
Dm **Am**
And they all had a sweetheart a-knockin on the door.
Am
They all got married and they wouldn't hesitate,
Dm (n.C)
I was, whoops oh Lord, the grandfather of eight, because...

Chorus 4:

Am **Dm** **E7** **Am**
She had kisses sweeter than wine,
Dm (n.C) **Am**
She had, mmm, mmm, kisses sweeter than wine.

A#m
(Sweeter than wine)...

Verse 5:

A#m
Well, now that I'm old and I'm a ready to go,
D#m **A#m**
I get to thinkin what happened, a long time ago.
A#m
Had a lot of kids, a lot of trouble and pain,
D#m (n.C)
But then, whoops oh Lordy, well, I'd do it all again, because...

