

18 Wheels And A Dozen Roses

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[Verse 1]

A
Charlie s got a gold watch
Dmaj7
Don t seem like a whole lot
E
After thirty years of drivin
D **A**
Up and down the interstate
A
But Charlie s had a good life
Dmaj7
And Charlie s got a good wife
Bm **D** **E**
And after tonight she ll no longer be countin the days

[Chorus]

E **D** **A**
Eighteen wheels and a dozen roses
F#m **B** **E**
Ten more miles on his four day run
D **F#m** **D**
A few more songs on the all night radio
A **D** **E** **A**
And he ll spend the rest if his life with the one that he loves

[Verse 2]

A
They ll buy a Winnebago
Dmaj7
Set out to find America
E **D**
Do a lotta catchin up
A
A little at a time

With pieces of the old dream
Dmaj7
They re gonna light the old flame
Bm
Doin what they please
D **E**
Leavin every other reason behind

[Instrumental]

[Chorus]

E **D** **A**
Eighteen wheels and a dozen roses

F#m **B** **E**
Ten more miles on his four day run

D **F#m** **D**
A few more songs on the all night radio

A **D** **E** **A**
And he ll spend the rest if his life with the one that he loves