

**Reasons To Quit**  
**Merle Haggard**

**G** **C** **G**  
Reasons to quit the smoke and beer don t do me like before  
**Em**  
And I m hardly ever sober and my old friends  
**A7** **D7**  
Don t come round much anymore  
**G** **C** **G**  
Reasons to quit the low is always lower than the high  
**D7** **G**  
And the reasons for quitting don t outnumber all the reasons why  
**C**  
So we keep smoking and we keep drinking  
**G**  
Having fun and never thinking  
**D7** **G**  
Laughing at the price tags that the we pay  
**C**  
And we keep roaring down the fast lane  
**G**  
Like two young men feeling no pain  
**D7** **G**  
And the reasons for quitting are getting bigger each day  
**C** **G**  
Reasons to quit I can t afford the habit all the time  
**Em** **A7** **D7**  
And I need be sober I gotta write some new songs that will rhyme  
**G** **C** **G**  
Reasons to quit there ain t no rhyme or reason when your high  
**D7** **G**  
And the reasons for quitting don t outnumber all the reasons why

(Repeat #2)