

Love Makes A Fool Of The Wise  
Tom Russell Band

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(capo 3rd fret)

**A** **G**  
I was always running scared it s true  
**A** **D**  
I was always running back to you  
**Em**  
Running never takes you home  
**G**  
You re running wild and all alone  
**D** **A**  
And lost you pay the cost

**A** **G**  
You held my heart right in your hand  
**A** **D**  
You always seemed to understand  
**Em**  
I played it right I played it wrong  
**G**  
I played around with love too long  
**D** **A**  
Love s a game that anyone can lose

Chorus:

**Em**  
Love breaks the rules  
**Em**  
A kind man turns cruel  
**D** **A**  
What begins a dream will end a lie  
**Em** **A** **D** **Em** **A** **D**  
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**A** **G**

Old friends don't seem to hang around

**A** **D**

They whisper that she's leaving town

**Bm**

They say that I was cruel

**G**

They say I played the perfect fool

**D** **A**

A fool that never learned the ways of love

Repeat Chorus Twice

**Em** **A** **D** **Em A D** (end)

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