

**Amanda**

**Waylon Jennings**

[Verse 1]

**A** **D** **A**  
I ve held it all inward, God knows I ve tried  
**A** **E** **A**  
But it s an awful awakening in a country boy s life  
**A** **D** **A**  
To look in the mirror in total surprise  
**A** **E** **A**  
At the hair on my shoulders and the age in my eyes.

[Chorus]

**A** **D** **A**  
Amanda, light of my life  
**A** **E** **A**  
Fate should have made you a gentleman s wife  
**A** **D** **A**  
Amanda, light of my life  
**A** **E** **A**  
Fate should have made you a gentleman s wife

[Verse 2]

**A** **D** **A**  
It s a measure of people who don t understand  
**A** **E** **A**  
The pleasures of life in a Hillbilly band  
**A** **D** **A**  
I got my first guitar when I was fourteen  
**A** **E** **A**  
Now I ve finally made forty and still wearin jeans