

Wish I Hadn't Stayed So Long
Hayes Carll

A . Asus A . Asus

Shootin <A>stars and whiskey bottles all <D>scattered across the <A>yard
Id-a <D>stayed back home in <A>Houston if I'd known itd be this <E>hard
Ah but <A>as it is I'm busted broke <D>down across the <A>bay
And I <D>might not make De<A>cember if we keep carrying on this <E>way

Pretty <A>girls and deep depressions keep <D>falling from the <A>sky
I got <D>all the time in <A>heaven but no sense to wonder <E>why
And the <A>nights have all gone crazy & the <D>bars have all shut <A>down
One <D>day I swear I'll <A>blow it all, pack up, and leave this <E>town

And some<D>times I get so <A>tired, of <D>telling right from <A>wrong
<ring><A>Hey, I'm glad I <E>came, just wish I <D>hadn't stayed so <A>long

Asus A . Asus

Here I <A>am in Music City, long <D>nights and neon <A>signs
And I <D>can't seem to re<A>member what I came so far to <E>find
Police <A>cars and paper money motel <D>rooms and ciga<A>rettes
Yeah they <D>tell you you aint <A>nothin just in case you might for<E>get

I can <A>hear the country music in the <D>window up <A>above
Do they <D>do it for the <A>money, do they do it for the <E>love?
Bourbon <A>eyes and stolen pistols seems <D>all that comes my <A>way
I'm gonna <D>burn down all my <A>bridges, grab a car, and drive <E>away

And some<D>times I can't <A>believe, I did <D>all that for a <A>song
<ring><A>Hey, I'm glad I <E>came, just wish I <D>hadn't stayed so <A>long

(solo) E . . D E . . D E . . D A . . Asus A . . Asus

We could <A>make Louisiana <D>in two hours' <A>time
We could <D>pull off of the <A>highway by the big casino <E>sign
We could <A>take up all our wishes and <D>bet 'em all on <A>black
Hit the <D>lights of Mississ<A>ippi with the south wind at our <E>back

And it's <D>always been the <A>same down <D>every road I've <A>gone
<ring><A>Hey, I'm glad I <E>came, just wish I <D>hadn't stayed so <A>long

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