

The Wild Side of Life

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D	3 4-4 0 1 2-2. 3 2 1 5 5 3 3 1 1 2
A	1 2 2 0
D	

You wouldn't read my letter if I wrote you You asked me not to call you on the phone

D	2 3 4 0 1 2 3 2 1 5 5 4 4 3 1 0
A	1 2 1 0
D	

But there's something I'm wanting to tell you So I wrote it in the words of this song

D	2 2 3 4 0 1 2 3 2 1 5 5 5 4 3 1 2
A	1 2 2 1 0
D	

I didn't know God made honky tonk angels I might have known you'd never make a wife

D	2 3 4. 0-0 1 2. 2 3 2 1 5 5 4 3 1 0
A	1 2 1 0
D	

You gave up the only one that ever loved you And went back to the wild side of life

(Instrumental)

D	2 4 4 0 1 2 2 3 2 1 5 5 4 4 3 1 2
A	1 2 2 1 0
D	

The glamor of the gay night life has lured you To the places where the wine and liquor flows

D	2 3 4 0 1 2-2 3 2 1 5 5 4 4 3 1 0
A	1 2 2 1 0
D	

Where you wait to be anybody's baby And forget the truest love you'll ever know

D	2 2 3 4 0 1 2 3 2 1 5 5 5 4 3 1 2
A	1 2 2 1 0
D	

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D	2 3 4. 0-0 1 2. 2 3 2 1 5 5 4 3 1 2 1 0
A	1 2
D	

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D	5 5 4 3 1 2 1 0
A	2
D	

And went back to the wild side of life