

HIGHWAYMAN

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Intro B_m B_m B_m B_m

Verse 1 (Willie Nelson)

B_m A G B_m A G D A
 I was a highwayman, along the coach roads I did ride With sword and pistol by my side
 E_m B_m A G E_m B_m A G
 Many a young maid lost her baubles to my trade Many a soldier shed his lifeblood on my blade
 B_m A G A D G A A
 The bastards hung me in the spring of twenty-five But I am still alive

Verse 2 (Kris Kristofferson)

B_m A G B_m A G D A
 I was a sailor, I was born upon the tide With the sea, I did abide
 E_m B_m A G E_m B_m A G
 I sailed a schooner round the horn to Mexico I went aloft and furled the mainsail in a blow
 B_m A G A D G A A
 And when the yards broke off, they said that I got killed But I am living still

Verse 3 (Waylon Jennings)

B_m A G B_m A G D A
 I was a dam builder, across a river deep and wide Where steel and water did collide
 E_m B_m A G E_m B_m A G
 A place called Boulder on the wild Colorado I slipped and fell into the wet concrete below
 B_m A G A D G A A
 They buried me in that gray tomb that knows no sound But I am still around

Bridge (All)

D A/C# B_m A G D/F# E_m G A D
 I'll always be around, and around, and around, and around, and around, and around...

Verse 4 (Johnny Cash)

B_m A G B_m A G D A
 I'll fly a starship 'cross the universe divide And when I reach the other side
 E_m B_m A G E_m B_m A G
 I'll find a place to rest my spirit if I can Perhaps I may become a highwayman again
 B_m A G A D G A A
 Or I may simply be a single drop of rain But I will remain

Outro (All) D A/C# B_m A G D/F# E_m G A D

And I'll be back again, and again, and again, and again, and again, and again...

