Jack Ingram, Beat Up Ford

A young man drivin' down a dusty road Like he's got somewhere to go Drivin' like he's got a destination Like he's somewhere to go in that beat up Ford

See there was a time when he was a young lost soul He was chasin' butterflies and rainbows Til one day when he found his pot of gold In the words of the young man he turned old

Chorus

And the old man said
You gotta have a good imagination
If your gonna live the life of old
He said you got to drive that Ford like its a stallion
And you've got to wear your heart just like a gun
The old man said
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The boy walked out with a new found hero
The boy well he walked away a man
And he said to himself that dusty day way down in Texas
Well I'm never gonna walk this path again

Chorus

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The boy walked out he was dreaming of wild times With old cowboys and broke down cattle lines Now those fields are all but gone His hearts still free and he rides on

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