

# Jason Michael Carroll, Honky Tonk Friends

I like my next-door-neighbor  
We do each other favors sometimes  
We threw somethin' on the grill  
Sat around and chilled just the other night  
And we talk about our lawns and the goin's on  
In our neighborhood  
He's a real nice guy...that's all fine and good  
He ain't my honky tonk friends

[Chorus]

Nobody really understands me like them  
I love the songs that they sing, I love the drinks that they drink  
I love the dances they dance  
They don't make fun of my drawl, keep somethin' cold and tall in my hand  
I ain't gotta pretend, they take me just like I am  
I love my honky tonk friends  
I like my growin' up buddies, we still keep in touch now and then  
Them folks down at the office really ain't all that stiff  
I met some real good people underneath the steeple in town  
I'll still make time for them, but as for right now  
I want my honky tonk friends

[Chorus]

Well, we light each other's smokes and we bend each other's ear  
And we laugh at each other's stupid jokes and we buy each other beers  
Then we lose our butts in pool but we win it back in darts  
And we lend each other shoulders when someone breaks our hearts.  
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