

# Kathy Mattea, Eighteen Wheels And A Dozen Ro

Charlie's got a gold watch  
Don't seem like a whole lot  
After thirty years of driving up and down the interstate  
But Charlie's had a good life  
And Charlie's got a good wife  
And after tonight she'll no longer be counting the days

Eighteen wheels and a dozen roses  
Ten more miles on his four-day run  
A few more songs from the all-night radio  
Then he'll spend the rest of his life with the one that he loves

They'll buy a Winnebago  
Set out to find America  
They'll do a lot of catching up a little at a time  
With pieces of the old dream  
They're gonna light the old flame  
Doing what they please, leaving every other reason behind

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