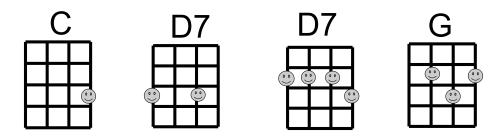
## The Wild Rover

Written sometime in the 1600s by Thomas Lanfiere maybe This is one of over 200 known versions.

3/4 Time Intro: D7 G D7 G/ D DUD 3 3 3 1 G C(6) G G G С D7 G(6) I've been a wild rover for many a year. I spent all my money on whiskey and beer. G G G C(6) G С D7 G(6) But now I'm returning with gold in great store. And I never will play the wild rover no more. Chorus: D7 D7 D7(6) G C(6) G And it's no, nay, never. No, nay, never no more GG C(6) D7 D7 G(6) Will I play the wild rover. No, never, no more. G G G C(6) G С D7 G(6) I went to an alehouse I used to frequent, and I told the landlady me money was spent. G G G C(6) G C D7 G(6) I asked her for credit, she answered me "Nay! Such a custom as yours I could have any day." Chorus: D7 G G G C(6) G С G(6) I took out of my pocket ten sovereigns bright, and the landlady's eyes opened wide with delight. C G G C(6) G D7 G G(6) She said, "I have whiskeys and wines on the best! And the words that I told you were only in jest!" Chorus: G C(6) G G G С D7 G(6) I'll go home to my parents, confess what I've done and ask them to pardon their prodigal son. D7 G C(6) G С G G G(6) And when they've caressed me as oftimes before, I never will play the wild rover no more. D7 D7 D7(6) G G C(6) And it's no, nay, never. No, nay, never no more C(6) D7 D7 GG G(6) Will I play the wild rover. No, never, no more. D7 D7 D7(6) G G C(6) And it's no, nay, never. No, nay, never no more C(6) D7 D7 GG G... Will I play the wild rover. No, never, no more. <-----Play the last line slowly and really loud.



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