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22. Wild Rover

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Intro - C III II,

[C] I've been a wild rover for many's the [F] year
 I've [C] spent all ~~me~~ [F] money on [G7] whiskey and [C] beer
 But now I'm returning with gold in great [F] store
 And I [C] never will [F] play the wild [G7] rover no [C] more

Chorus

Chorus...

And it's [G7] ▼ No, ▼ Nay, ▼ never, (clap, clap, clap, clap)
 [C] No, nay never no [F] more Will I [C] play the wild [F] rover,
 No [G7] never no [C] more

I [C] went in to an ale house I used to fre[F]quent
 And I [C] told the land [F] lady me [G7] money was [C] spent
 I asked her for credit, she answered me [F] nay
 Such a [C] custom as [F] yours I can [G7] have any [C] day

Chorus...

I [C] took up from my pocket, ten sovereigns [F] bright
 And the [C] landlady's [F] eyes opened [G7] wide with [C] delight
 She says I have whiskeys and wines of the [F] best
 And the [C] words that I [F] spoke were [G7] only in [C] jest

Chorus...

I'll [C▼] go home to my ▼ parents, con ▼ fess what I've [F▼] done
 And I'll [C▼] ask them to [F▼] pardon their [G7▼] prodigal [C▼] ^{Play}
 son. And ▼ when they for ▼ give me as ▼ oft times [F▼] before ^{-strum}
 I [C▼] never will [F▼] play the wild [G7▼] rover no [C▼] more

Chorus x 2

