

Wild Side of Life / Honky Tonk Angels

Key of F

Duet by Waylon Jennings and Jessie Colter

Man sings:

F Bb
You wouldn't read my letter if I wrote you
C7 F
You asked me not to call you on the phone
Bb
But there's something I'm wanting to tell you
C7 F
So I wrote it in the words of this song

F Bb
I didn't know God made honky tonk angels
C7 F
I should have known you'd never make a wife
Bb
You gave up the only one that ever loved you
C7 F
And went back to the wild side of life

Woman Sings:

F Bb
As I sit here tonight the jukebox playing
C F
A tune about the WILD SIDE OF LIFE
Bb
As I listen to the words you are saying
C F
It brings mem'ries when I was a trusting wife

F Bb
It wasn't God who made honky tonk angels
C F
As you said in the words of your song
Bb
Too many times married men think they're still single
C F
That has caused many a good girl to go wrong.

Man Sings:

F Bb
It wasn't God who made honky tonk angels
C7 F
I should have known you'd never make a wife

Woman Sings:

F Bb
Too many times married men think they're still single

Both Sing:

C7 F
And Go back to the wild side of life