

WILD ROVER

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I've been a wild rover for many a year

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And I've spent all me money on whiskey and beer

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But now I'm returning with gold in great store

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And never will play the wild rover no more

[Chorus]

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And it's no nay never no nay never no more

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Will I play the wild rover, no never no more

I went into an ale-house I used to frequent

And I told the landlady me money was spent

I asked her for credit, she answered me 'Nay

Such a customer as you I can get any day

[Chorus]

I took from my pocket 10 sovereigns bright

And the landlady's eyes opened wide with delight

She said I have whiskey and wines of the best

And the words that I spoke were only in jest

[Chorus]

I'll go home to my parents confess what I've done

And I'll ask them to pardon their prodigal son

And when they forgive me as oft times before

Sure I never will play the wild rover no more

[Chorus]