

G C x4

G
I lit out from Reno,
C
I was trailed by twenty hounds
G
Didn't get to sleep that night
C
'Till the morning came around.

D
Set out runnin' but I take my time
Am
A friend of the devil is a friend of mine
D
If I get home before daylight,
Am
I just might get some sleep tonight.

G
Ran into the devil, babe,
C
He loaned me twenty bills
G
I spent the night in Utah
C
In a cave up in the hills.

Chorus

G
I ran down to the levee
C
But the devil caught me there
G
He took my twenty-dollar bill
C
And vanished in the air.

Chorus

Bridge:

D
Got two reasons why I cry
D
Away each lonely night,
C
The first one's named Sweet Anne Marie,
C
And she's my hearts delight.
D
The second one is prison, baby,
D
The sheriff's on my trail,
Am
And if he catches up with me,
C D
I'll spend my life in jail.

G
Got a wife in Chino, babe,
C
And one in Cherokee
G
The first one says she's got my child,
C
But it don't look like me.

Chorus

SOLO: Verse & Chorus

Repeat: Bridge, Last Verse, Chorus

D (hold)