

Wagon Wheel

by Darius Rucker

[Intro]

G D Em C, G D Em C, G D C

[Verse 1]

G D
Heading down south to the land of the pines
Em C
I'm thumbing my way into North Caroline
G D C
Staring up the road and pray to God I see headlights
G D
I made it down the coast in seventeen hours
Em C
Picking me a bouquet of dogwood flowers
G D C
And I'm a-hopin' for Raleigh, I can see my baby tonight

[Chorus]

G D Em C
So rock me momma like a wagon wheel, Rock me momma any way you feel
G D C G D
Hey, momma rock me, Rock me momma like the wind and the rain
Em C G D C
Rock me momma like a south bound train, Hey, momma rock me

[Instrumental] G D Em C, G D C

[Verse 2]

G D
Running from the cold up in New England
Em C
I was born to be a fiddler in an old time string band
G D C
My baby plays a guitar, I pick a banjo now
G D
Oh, north country winters keep a-getting me down
Em C
I lost my money playing poker so I had to leave town
G D C
But I ain't turning back to living that old life no more

[Chorus]

^G So rock me ^D ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
So rock me ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
Hey, ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
Rock me ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
Rock me ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
Hey, ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
momma ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
rock ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
me ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C

[Instrumental] ^G ^D ^{Em} ^C, ^G ^D ^C, ^G ^D ^{Em} ^C, ^G ^D ^C

[Verse 3] (one strum each chord below)

^G ^D
Walkin' to the south out of Roanoke
^{Em} ^C
I caught a trucker out of Philly had a nice long toke
^G ^D ^C
But he's a heading west from the Cumberland gap, To Johnson City, Tennessee
^G ^D
And I gotta get a move on before the sun
^{Em} ^C
I hear my baby calling my name and I know that she's the only one
^G ^D ^C
And if I died in Raleigh at least I will die free

[Chorus]

^G ^D ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
So rock me ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
Hey, ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
Rock me ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
momma ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
rock ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
me ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C

[Chorus]

^G ^D
Oh, rock me ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C
momma ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
like a wagon wheel, Hey, ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C
momma ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
rock me ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
(Ohhhhhhhhhhhh, I wanna feel)
^G ^D
Rock me ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
momma ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
like the wind and the rain
Rock me ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
momma ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
like a south bound train, Hey, ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
momma ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
rock ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C
me ^{Em} ^C ^G ^D ^C ^G ^D ^C

[outro]

^G ^D ^{Em} ^C, ^G ^D ^C, ^G ^D ^{Em} ^C, ^G ^D ^C, ^G ^D ^{Em} ^C, ^G ^D ^C,
^G ^D ^{Em} ^C, ^G ^D ^C.....(fade out)