**OLD BLUE TRUCK**

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**[D]** **[F#m]** **[G]** **[A]**

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**REFRAIN:**

I’m **[D]** sitting in the backyard, in my **[F#m]** old blue truck

the **[G]** floor’s half-gone, and the **[A]** doors get stuck

it’s **[D]** got no motor, it’s **[F#m]** got no wheels

but I **[G]** like to remember, the **[A]** way it’d feel

when my **[D]** dad was alive, and he **[F#m]** drove us into town

in his **[G]** shiny new Ford, with the **[A]** windows down

we were **[D]** young and free, maybe **[F#m]** happier then

when I **[G]** sit in this truck it’s like it **[A]** all comes back **[D]** again

**[F#m]** **[G]** **[A]**

**[D]** **[F#m]** **[G]** **[A]**

**[D]** Sherry says it’s time we got **[F#m]** rid of that heap

it’s **[G]** just an eyesore we don’t **[A]** need to keep

there’s **[D]** snakes in the grass, **[F#m]** weeds in the wells

there’s **[G]** birds making nests, it **[A]** just looks like hell

there’s **[D]** mice in the seat springs and **[F#m]** under the hood

well, a **[G]** truck like that it **[A]** ain’t much good

I said it **[D]** don’t move an inch, but it’s **[F#m]** logging miles

yeah, it **[G]** don’t do much, but it **[A]** makes me smile

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I said re-**[D]**member before the **[F#m]** kids were born

we’d **[G]** sit in that truck just to **[A]** watch the corn

the **[D]** moon’d come floating up **[F#m]** over the trees

there was **[G]** no one in the world, just **[A]** you and me

and you **[D]** held me close till I **[F#m]** thought I might cry

just to **[G]** see how the stars shone **[A]** in your eyes

I was **[D]** thinking when the kids’re grown **[F#m]** up and gone

we might **[G]** do it again, **[A]** just sit here and watch the **[D]** dawn

**[F#m]** **[G]** **[A]**

**[D]** **[F#m]** **[G]** **[A]**

**[D]** Sherry says I guess it won’t **[F#m]** be a trial

we could **[G]** clean it up some, maybe **[A]** keep it awhile

**[D]** everybody’s got some **[F#m]** crazy old load

we’ll just **[G]** have a truck we can’t **[A]** put on the road

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