

# The Irish Collection



## The Wild Rover (traditional)

song air

G G G C C G D

I've been a wild rover for many a year, And I've spent all my money on

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D G G G G G C G

whisk ey and beer. And now I'm re - turn - ing with gold in great store, and I ne - ver will

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D D G D D D7 D7 G

play the wild ro - ver no more, And it's No! Nay! Ne ver! (X X X X )

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G G G G G G

No nay ne - ver no more, Will I play the wild

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C C G G D G

ro - ver, no ne - ver no more.

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**Wild Rover**

Possibly the most widely known folk song of them all, *The Wild Rover* is a staple of folk clubs, folk groups and rugby players across the world.