

**Joe Ely****"Lord Of The Highway"**

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With your fan belt slippin' and your bare tires squealin'  
Every time you hit the road you think you're rich.  
You're Lord of the Highway but the way you been drivin'  
Sends them hitch-hikers divin' for the ditch

Well the law's on your trail and there's another law to  
lead you  
And yet another law to let you down  
And the laws of the game they're the very same that  
freed you  
The Lord of the Highway gets around

You weren't the only one who saw the dark days a  
commin'  
And you weren't the only one who shut em out.  
It was nothin like your pride; it was somethin' deep  
inside  
That saw the Shimmer felt the Shake and heard the  
Shout

So lay it on thick if you lay it on at all  
If you're gonna do the job, do it right  
If you gotta hit the road, leave your burdens behind  
you  
The Lord of the Highway travels light.

With your air cleaner hiss'n and your radiator steamin'  
And the sun burnin' bugs to the glass  
You're Lord of the Highway ,you're livin' you're not  
dreamin'  
And if time really wants to, let it pass.

You'll be miles down the road when the toll bridge is  
burnin'  
And your mirrors face foward at last.  
You got what it takes to be Lord of the Highway  
The Lord of the Highway travels fast.

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