

## **Willie Nelson**

# **"Pick Up The Tempo"**

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Some people are saying that time will take care of  
people like me  
Then I'm livin' too fast and they say I can't last too  
much longer  
But little they see that their thoughts of me is my savior  
And they really should know that the beat oughta go  
just a little faster

So pick up the tempo just a little and take it on home  
The singer ain't singin' and the drummer's been  
draggin' too long  
Time will take care of itself, so just leave time alone  
And pick up the tempo just a little and take it on home

Well, I'm wild and I'm mean and I'm creatin' a scene I'm  
goin' crazy  
Well, I'm good and I'm bad and I'm happy and I'm sad  
and I'm lazy  
Well, I'm quiet and I'm loud and I'm gatherin' a crowd  
and I like gravy  
About half off the wall but I learned it all in the navy

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