

## Red Sovine

### "Truck Driver's Prayer"

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I got something kinda special I'd like to say to all you  
truck drivers out there who might be listening right now  
Also a truck drivers prayer I'd like to pass along to you  
Cuz I think it's kind of special too

But first, Now I gotta few things I've been wanting to  
say to you guys for a long time  
And I think right now is a good time to do it

Like did you know that me and just about everyone in  
country music who travel a lot  
Have nothing but the highest respect for you the truck  
driver  
Cuz its a fact that some of the best drivers are truck  
drivers  
And the most safety minded, the most courteous and  
the first to stop and help when there's trouble

And little things like blinking signals lights to help  
someone pass  
So you just gotta be good people  
Like some I've had the pleasure of meeting  
Down to earth, hard-working family men

And a lot of you like our country music and that makes  
you okay in my book  
Sounds like Im blowing smoke, don't it  
But I'm not  
Cuz it boils down to this,

If everyone would drive liek you guys do  
There would be a lot less accidents and deaths on the  
highway  
So truck driver, buddy, you are appreciated more then  
you'll ever know  
And we salute you, now for the prayer

Now this truck drivers prayer was sent to me, by a truck  
driver from Oklahoma City  
He found it in a truck stop, Mary's Cafe in Cahokia, Il

Now this prayer means a lot to him  
And I think it will you too, so if you will give a listen  
And see if it isn't your prayer too

Dear God above bless this truck I drive  
and help me keep someone alive  
Be my mortal sight this day  
on the street where little children play

Bless my helper fast asleep when the night is long  
and keep my cargo safe and sound  
through the hours big and round

Make my judgment sound as steel  
and be my hands upon the wheel

Bless the traveler going past  
and teach them not to go so fast

Give me strength for every trip  
so I may care for what they ship

And make me mindful every mile  
that life is just a little while....Amen

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