

## **Rockie Lynne**

# **"The Only Reason"**

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In the middle of a storm, never touchin' the brake  
I drove like a bat outta hell  
Down that lonely ol' four lane

With the bright lights of Houston just fadin' behind  
My tires tearin' up the road toward the state line  
I was leavin' the great Lone Star state  
That I loved for good

For the love of a good woman who lives in Louisiana  
On a bayou by the river with the moon in her hair  
And when I get there, I'm gonna get down on one knee  
'Cause wherever she is boy that's home for me  
Don't get me wrong

Love's the only reason, I'd ever leave Texas  
She's the only reason, I'd ever stay gone

Just about Baton Rouge, I was changin' my mind  
Thinkin' 'bout all the things I'd be leavin' behind  
Like a Red River sunrise  
And the stars on a Galveston night

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And when I get there, I'm gonna get down on one knee  
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Like a long lonely night  
Wonderin' where I'd spend the rest of my life  
Gone like an old tumbleweed  
Rollin' his way to a place he finally call home

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On a bayou by the river with the moon in her hair  
And when I get there, I'm gonna get down on one knee  
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