## I Ain't Living Long Like This

A
You looked for trouble and you found it son
A
Straight down the barrel of a lawman's gun
A
You tried to run but I don't think you can
A
You make one move and you're a dead man friend

D-8 D-8

Ain't living long like this

A-8 A-8

Can't live at all like this can I baby

**E-8** 

He slipped the handcuffs on behind your back F-8

And left me freezing on a steel rail track

D-8 D-8

They got'em all in the jailhouse baby

A-8 A-8

I Ain't living long like this

Grew up in Houston off the wayside drive

A

Son of a carhop in some all night dives

A

Dad drove a stock car to an early death

A

All I remember was a drunk man's breath

D-8 D-8

I Ain't living long like this

A-8

Can't live at all like this can I baby E-8

You know the story how the wheel goes 'round

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E-8
Don't let them take you to the man downtown
          D-8
                                          D-8
They got it all in the jailhouse baby
             A-8
Ain't living long like this
              A-8
                                A-8
Can't live at all like this can i baby
SOLO | D-8 | D-8 | A-8 A-8 | E-8 E-8 | A-8 A-8 |
A
You live with Angel she's a roadhouse queen
Makes Texas Ruby look like Sandra Dee
You want to love her but you don't know how
You're at the bottom in the jailhouse now
            D-8
                               D-8
Ain't living long like this
                                     A-8
           A-8
Can't live at all like this can I baby
E-8
You know the story about the jailhouse rock
Go on and do it but just don't get caught
              D-8
                                           D-8
Can't sleep at all in the jailhouse baby
             A-8
                            A-8
Ain't living long like this
                                 A-8
             A-8
Can't live at all like this can i baby
                                 A-8
              A-8
Ain't living long like this
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