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## The Wild Rover (Traditional) (C)

The Wild Rover (No Nay Never) by The Dubliners (G) ( 3/4 Time )

## Intro (Four Measures) C **Chorus G7** And it's no, nay, never, (Four Claps) \_ No nay never no more, (**Two Claps**) Will I play the wild rover (One Claps) G7 C No never no more. ΙF I've been a wild rover for many a year, G7 And I've spent all me money on whiskey and beer. But now I'm returning with gold in great store, And I never will play the wild rover no more. **Chorus** I went to an ale-house I used to fre-quent, **G7** And I told the land lady my money was spent. I asked her for credit, she answered me "Nay Such a custom as yours I could have every day." **Chorus** $\mathsf{F} \mid \mathsf{F}$ I then took from my pocket ten sovereigns bright, And the land lady's eyes opened wide with de-light. She said "I have whiskey and wines of the best And the words that you told me were only in jest." **Chorus** I'll go home to my parents, confess what I've done, And I'll ask them to pardon their prodigal son.

And when they've caressed me, as oft times be-fore,

I never will play the wild rover no more. **Chorus (2x)** 

G7

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Chorus D7 And it's no, nay, never, (Four Claps) G C   C No nay never no more, (Two Claps)	D7
G C  Will I play the wild rover (One Claps) G D7 G  No never no more.  C   C	G
I've been a wild rover for many a year, G D7 G  And I've spent all me money on whiskey and beer. G C  But now I'm returning with gold in great store, G D7 G  And I never will play the wild rover no more. Chorus	C
G C   C I went to an ale-house I used to fre-quent G D7 G And I told the land lady my money was spent. G C I asked her for credit, she answered me "Nay G D7 G Such a custom as yours I could have every day." Chorus	D7
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G She said "I have whiskey and wines of the best G D7 G And the words that you told me were only in jest." Chorus	C
G C   C  I'll go home to my parents, confess what I've done, G D7 G  And I'll ask them to pardon their prodigal son. G C  And when they've caressed me, as oft times be-fore,	

**D7** 

I never will play the wild rover no more. Chorus (2x)