## The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band, Riding Alone

She saved him from whiskey Was his constant companion You'd see them out riding at dawn

She gave him his reasons To shoulder the seasons Now when you see him He's riding alone

She'd lay down beside him To touch him or guide him Turn 'round his head On the darkest of days

He still sits beside her Remembers her smiling Whispers to her That old song he would play

Please lay down beside me How I love you

Never wanted to bid this adieu No red river ever ran deeper Than this old cowboy's love Than this cowboy's love that runs true