Richard and the Cadillac Kings

Words and Music by: Steve Smith & Tom Simpson (Kermit Stephen Smith & Elwood T Simpson Jr.)

There's a Cadillac Lounge and a Rainbow Inn in almost every town Cause the common folk need a place sit and drink and fool around On the weekend nights they turn up the lights on a plywood beer case stage So Richard and the Cadillac Kings can sing 'till they get to drunk to play

Well, Richard works at the factory and the drummer sells used cars and the other two don't have much to do but play in the redneck bars Well, they're under paid but they always stay, cause they get their drinks for free And Richard and the Cadillac Kings dig singing for likes of you and me

Richard and the Cadillac Kings keep singing Country out of tune And the barmaids dance in their skin tight pants With the Guys from the drilling crew Then the band gets drunk and the crowd gets funky and someone starts a fight But Richard and the Cadillac Kings pack 'em in every Friday and Saturday night

Well, they drink their beer as midnight nears, you've never seen the likes of three drunk pickers and a guy from the crowd all singing in one mic And the guy from the crowd can't sing at all, but neither can the band When he gets through singing, he falls off the stage And the crowd gives him a hand

Then at two o'clock they give last call and start to close the bar And the waitress and the bouncer carry Richard to his car The Cadillac Kings all get their things and stagger through the door But tomorrow night, they'll turn on the lights and start to sing once more