

Lucille Kenny Rogers

[Verse 1]

A  
In a bar in Toledo across from the depot on a  
E7  
bar stool she took off her ring  
Bm E7  
I thought I'd get closer so I walked on over,  
Bm E7 A  
I sat down and asked her name

When the drinks finally hit her she said I'm no  
A7 D  
quitter but I finally quit livin' on dreams  
E7  
I'm hungry for laughter and here ever after I'm  
A  
after whatever the other life brings

[Verse 2]

A  
In the mirror I saw him and I closely watched him  
E7  
I thought how he looked out of place  
Bm E7  
He came to the woman who sat there beside me,  
Bm E7 A  
he had a strange look on his face

The big hands were calloused, he looked like a  
A7 D  
mountain, for a minute I thought I was dead  
E7  
But he started shaking, his big heart was  
A  
breaking, he turned to the woman and said

[Chorus]

A D  
You picked a fine time to leave me Lucille  
A  
with four hungry children and a crop in the field  
D

I've had some bad times, lived through some sad times, but  
this time your hurting won't heal  
You picked a fine time to leave me Lucille

[Verse 3]

After he left us I ordered more whisky, I thought how she'd  
made him look small  
From the lights of the bar room to a rented hotel room,  
we walked without talking at all

She was a beauty but when she came to me  
she must have thought I'd lost my mind  
I couldn't hold her 'cos the words that he told her kept  
coming back time after time

[Chorus]

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