

# King of the Road (Roger Miller)

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A|-----|
E|-----|
C|-----2---2-5--4-2-|
G|-0---0-4---4-----|
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## First note to sing: C

**C** **F** **G7** **C**  
 Trailer for sale or rent rooms to let fifty cents.  
**F** **G7** {----- Tacet -----}  
 No phone no pool no pets I ain't got no cigarettes ah but...  
**C** **F** **G7** **C**  
 Two hours of pushing broom buys a eight by twelve four-bit room  
**C7** **F** **G7 G7** {- Tacet -} **C**  
 I'm a man of means by no means king of the road.

**F** **G7** **C**  
 Third box car midnight train destination Bangor Maine.  
**F** **G7** {----- Tacet -----}  
 Old worn out suit and shoes I don't pay no union dues.  
**C** **F** **G7** **C**  
 I smoke old stogies I have found short but not too big or round  
**C7** **F** **G7 G7** {- Tacet -} **C**  
 I'm a man of means by no means king of the road.

**F**  
 I know every engineer on every train  
**G7** **C**  
 All of the children and all of their names.  
**F**  
 And every handout in every town  
**G7** {----- Tacet -----}  
 And every lock that ain't locked when no one's around.

**C** **F** **G7** **C**  
 I sing trailer for sale or rent, rooms to let fifty cents  
**F** **G7** {----- Tacet -----}  
 No phone, no pool no pets I ain't got no cigarettes ah but...  
**C** **F** **G7** **C**  
 Two hours of pushing broom buys a eight by twelve four-bit room  
**C7** **F** **G7 G7** {- Tacet -} **C**  
 I'm a man of means by no means king of the road.

**G7 G7** {- Tacet -} **C** **G7 G7** {- Tacet -} **C** **C**  
 King of the road. King of the road.