Verses:

Verse 1:
C
I been a-havin’ some hard travellin’, I thought you knewed
C          D7          G
I been a-havin’ some hard travellin’, way down the road
C          F
I been a-havin’ some hard travellin’, hard ramblin’, hard gamblin’
C          G          C          G          C          C
An’ I been a-hittin’ some hard travellin’ Lord

Verse 2:
C
I been ridin' them fast rattlers, I thought you knewed
C          D7          G
I been ridin' them flat wheelers, way down the road
C          F
I been ridin' them dead-enders, blind passengers kicking up cinders
C          G          C          G          C          C
I been a-havin' some hard travellin’ Lord

Verse 3:
C
Well, I been a-hittin' some hard-rock minin', I thought you knewed
C          D7          G
I been a-leanin' on a pressure drill a-way down the road
C          F
Hammer a-flyin’, air-hose suckin’ six foot o’ mud an’ I sure been a-muckin’
C          G          C          G          C          C
An’ I been a-havin' some hard travellin’ Lord

Verse 4:
C
Well, I been a-hittin' some hard harvestin’, I thought you knewed
C          D7          G
North Dakota to Kansas City a-way down the road
Cuttin' that wheat an' stackin' that hay an’ tryin’ to make about a dollar a day
C G C G C C
An' I been a-havin' some hard travellin’ Lord

Verse 5:

C
I been a-workin’ that Pittsburgh steel, I thought you knowed
C D7 G
I been a-pourin’, red-hot slag way down the road
C F
I been a-blastin’, I been firin', and I been pourin' red-hot iron
C G C G C C
An’ I been a-havin' some hard travellin’ Lord

Verse 6:

C
Well, I been layin’ in a hard rock jail, I thought you knowed
C D7 G
I been layin' out 90 days way down the road
C F
The mean old judge he said to me, "It’s ninety days for vagrancy"
C G C G C C
An’ I been a-hittin’ some hard travellin’ Lord

Verse 7:

C
Well, I been a-walkin' that Lincoln Highway, I thought you knowed
C D7 G
I been a-hittin’ that '66, way down the road
C F
Heavy load an’ a worried mind, lookin' for a woman that's hard to find
C G C C/
An' I been a-hittin' some hard travellin’ Lord

end