

RUNNING ON EMPTY - Jackson Browne (D)

INTRO: |D |D A |D |D A |D |D A |F#m |F#m |
|D | |A/C# |E | | |
(I don't know where I'm running now, I'm just running on)

D D-A D D-A
Looking out at the road rushing under my wheels
D D A D D-A
Looking back at the years gone by like so many summer fields
D D-A D D-A
In sixty-five I was seventeen and running up 101
D A/C# E
I don't know where I'm running now, I'm just running on

CHORUS: (Running on) Running on empty
D/A A
D/A A
(Running on) Running blind
D/A A F#m
(Running on) Running into the sun, but running behind.

D D-A D D-A
Gotta do what you can just to keep your love alive
D D A D D-A
Trying not to confuse it with what you do to survive
D D-A D D-A
In sixty-nine I was twenty-one and called the road my own
D A/C# E
I don't know when that road turned onto the road I'm on.

CHORUS

INTRO (with slide guitar)

F#m D E A
BRIDGE: Everyone I know, everywhere I go
F#m E D A
People need some reason to believe (I don't know about anyone but me)
F#m D E A
If it takes all night, that'll be all right
D E D C#m Bm A F#m E
If I can get you to smile before I leave

D D-A D D-A
Looking out at the road rushing under my wheels
D D A D D-A
I don't know how to tell you all just how crazy this life feels
D D-A D D-A
I look around for the friends I used to turn to to pull me through
D A/C# E
Looking into their eyes I see them running too

CHORUS

D D A D D A
Honey you really tempt me, You know the way you look so kind
D E D C#m Bm A F#m E
I'd love to stick around but I'm running behind (Runnin' on)
D E D C#m Bm A F#m E
You know I don't even know what I'm hoping to find (Runnin' blind)
D A/C# D C#m Bm A (pause the A and hold for drum lick)
Running into the sun but I'm running behind.

ENDING

|D |D-A | pattern 12 times (with slide guitar solo) |D |E |D C#m Bm |A