

GENTLE ON MY MIND

- Glen Campbell

DmMaj7= X00221

C Cmaj7 Am7 Cmaj7 Dm DmMaj7 Dm7 Dm6
It's knowing that your door is always open & your path is free to walk
Dm DmMaj7 Dm7 G C Cmaj7 Dm7 G
That makes me tend to leave my sleepin' bag rolled up & stashed behind your couch
C Cmaj7 Am7 C C C
and it's knowin' I'm not shackled by forgotten words & bonds and the ink stains
C/2 030010 Dm DmMaj7 Dm7 G
that have dried upon some line
Dm DmMaj7 Dm7 Dm6
That keeps you in the backroads by the rivers of my memory
F G C Cmaj7 Dm7 G
That keeps you ever gentle on my mind
C Cmaj7 Am7 Cmaj7 Dm DmMaj7 Dm7 Dm6
It's not clingin' to the rocks -&-ivy planted on their columns-now that bind~me
Dm DmMaj7 Dm7 G C Cmaj7 Dm7 G
Or somethin' that somebody said because they thought we fit together walkin'
C Cmaj7 Am7 C C
It's just knowing that the world will not be cursing or forgiving
C C/2 030010 Dm DmMaj7 Dm7 G
When I walk along some railroad track & find
Dm DmMaj7 Dm7 Dm6
That-you're-movin' on the back roads by the rivers of my memory
F G C Cmaj7 Dm7 G
and-for hours you're just gentle on~ my mind
C Cmaj7 Am DmDmMaj7Dm7G
Though the wheat fields & the clotheslines,,& the-junkyards &-the highways come between~us
Dm DmMaj7 Dm7 G C Cmaj7 Am G
and some-other woman's crying to her mother cause she turned & I was gone
C Cmaj7 Am G
I still might run in silence, tears of joy might stain my face
C Cmaj7 Dm DmMaj7 Dm7 G
and the summer sun might burn me till I'm blind
Dm DmMaj7 Dm7 G
But not to where I cannot see you walkin' on the backroads
Dm G C Cmaj7 Am G
by the rivers flowing gentle on my mind
C Cmaj7 Am G Dm DmMaj7 Dm7 G
I dip my cup of of soup back from a gurglin', cracklin' cauldron in some train yard
Dm DmMaj7 Dm7 G C Cmaj7 Am G
My beard a roughnin' coal pile & a dirty hat pulled low across my face
C Cmaj7 Am G Dm DmMaj7 Dm7 G
Through cupped hands round a tin can I-pretend to hold you to my breast & find
Dm DmMaj7 Dm7 G
That you're wavin' from the backroads by the rivers of my memory
Dm G C Cmaj7 Am G *stolwing* C
Ever-smilin', ever gentle on my mind