



VIVA LAS VEGAS

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G

Bright light city gonna set my soul, gonna set my soul on fire

Got a whole lot of money that's ready to burn, so get those stakes up higher

Em

There's a thousand pretty women waitin' out there

.....and they're all livin' devil may care

.....and I'm just the devil with love to spare

C **G** **C** **G**
Viva Las Vegas, Viva Las Vegas

G

How I wish that there were more than the twenty-four hours in the day

'Cause even if there were forty more, I wouldn't sleep a minute away

Em

Oh, there's black jack and poker and the roulette wheel

.....a fortune won and lost on ev'ry deal

.....all you need's a strong heart and a nerve of steel

C **G** **C** **G**
Viva Las Vegas, Viva Las Vegas

C

Viva Las Vegas with you neon flashin' and your one-arm bandits crashin'

G

.....all those hopes down the drain

C

Viva Las Vegas turnin' day into nighttime, turnin' night into daytime

A

If you see it once... you'll never be the same again

D7

G

I'm gonna keep on the run, I'm gonna have me some fun, if it costs me my very last dime

If I wind up broke up well, I'll always remember that I had a swingin' time

Em

I'm gonna give it ev'rything I've got

.....Lady luck please let the dice stay hot

.....Let me shoot a seven with ev'ry shot

C **G** **C** **G** **C** **G**
Viva Las Vegas, Viva Las Vegas, Viva Las Vegas

C **D7** **G**
Viva, Viva Las Vegas

