Five Pounds o’ Possum
by Timothy White

There's five pounds o' possum in my headlights to-night

Chorus:
There's five pounds o' possum in my headlights to-night

Well, my children are hungry---, my dog needs a bone---
I'm out of a job now so I'm just drivin' home---
an hour after sundown and, much to my delight---
There's five pounds o' possum in my headlights to-night---

Chorus:
There's five pounds o' possum in my headlights to-night

If I can run him over every-thing would be al-right---
We'll have some possum gravy. What a won-derful sight---
There's five pounds o' possum in my headlights to-night---

Won't have to kill no chickens, or open any cans---
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Just a little closer and I'll have him in my hands---
I think the time has come now to change from dim to bright---
There's five pounds o' possum in my headlights to-night---

Chorus:
There's five pounds o' possum in my headlights to-night

If I can run him over every-thing would be al-right---
We'll have some possum gravy. What a won-derful sight---
There's five pounds o' possum in my headlights to-night---
And we'll "burrow" some sweet po-taters from the farmer's garden plot----

A couple of to-maters and some peppers if they're hot

Then we'll add some wild onion to give a little bite

To that five pounds o' possum in my headlights to-night-----

Chorus: There's five pounds o' possum in my headlights to-night-----

If I can run him over every-thing would be al-right-----

We'll have some possum gravy. What a won-derful sight-----

There's five pounds o' possum in my headlights to-night-----

Yeah there's five pounds o' possum on my ta-ble to-night-----

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