Intro:  

G . . . . . . | C . . .
I lit out from Reno, I was trailed by twenty hounds --
G . . . . . . | C . . .
Didn’t get to sleep that night till the morning came a-round--

Chorus:  
Set out runnin’ but I take my time. A friend of the devil is a friend of mine
D . . . . . | Am . . . . .
If I get home be-fore day-light, I just might get some sle-e-ep to-ni-ight

G . . . . . | C . . .
Ran in-to the devil, babe, he loaned me twenty bills---
G . . . . . | C . . .
I spent the night in Utah in a cave up in the hills-----

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G . . . . . | C . . .
I ran down to the levee but the devil caught me there-----
G . . . . . | C . . .
Took my twenty dollar bill and he vanished in the air-----

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D 2nd . . . . | . . . .
Bridge:  
Got two reasons why I cry a-way each lonely night----
C . . . . . | . . . .
The first one’s named Sweet Anne Ma-rie and she’s my heart’s de-light----
D 2nd . . . . | . . . .
Second one is prison, babe, the sheriff’s on my trail----
And if he catches up with me I’ll spend my life in jail.-------------------

G . . . . . | C . . .
Got a wife in Chino, babe, and one in Chero-kee
G . . . . . | C . . .
First one says she’s got my child, but it don’t look like me-----

Chorus:  
Set out runnin’ but I take my time. A friend of the devil is a friend of mine
If I get home be-fore day-light, I just might get some sle-e-ep to-ni-ight
Instrumental: 

**Verse**

| G | C | G | C |

**(Chorus)**

| D | Am | D | Am | D | D7 |

Bridge:

Got two reasons why I cry a-way each lonely night----

| C | D2nd | D2nd | D2nd |

The first one’s named Sweet Anne Ma-rie and she’s my heart’s de-light----

| D2nd | C | D | D7 |

Second one is prison, baby, the sheriff's on my trail----

| Am | C | D | D7 |

And if he catches up with me I’ll spend my life in jail.-------------------

| G | C | G |

Got a wife in Chino, babe, and one in Chero-kee --

| G | C |

First one says she’s got my child, but it don’t look like me----

| D | Am |

Chorus: 

Set out runnin' but I take my time. A friend of the devil is a friend of mine

| D | Am |

If I get home be-fore day-light, I just might get some sle-e-ep to-ni-ight

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