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Raylene, don't you know that I am praying Though disappointed you'll be staying Right here by my side.

I know a lover, who can't perform beneath the covers, And never makes you shudder Won't keep you satisfied.

In that far off war, I lost both a leg and arm And so much more, but the real true harm And the biggest cost, Was the love that's been lost.

Sweetheart, you promised me that we would not part Now all I've got to offer is a purple heart And I'm afraid your love has died

## Instrumental

Raylene, you wonder why I'm always praying, But I'm afraid you've started straying And that would crush my tattered pride

I thought you'd be glad, I wasn't killed And I assumed that you'd, be thrilled, But instead I sense, you've moved on And soon you'll be gone.

So Raylene, I know it's true that I am failing To show you why you should be staying I know you won't become my bride.

Raylene (repeat and fade)