

GREENBACK DOLLAR (HOYT AXTON, KEN RAMSEY, 1962) *

Em	C	G
Some people say I'm a no 'count,	Others say I'm no good.	
When I was a little baby,	My momma said, "Hey, son.	
Now that I'm a grown man,	I've traveled here and there.	
Some people say I'm a no 'count,	others say I'm no good.	

C
G
C
 But I'm just a natural-born travelin' man,
 Travel where you will and grow to be a man
 I've learned that a bottle of brandy and a song,
 But I'm just a natural-born travelin' man,

D	Em
doing' what I think I	should, O, yeah.
And sing what must be	sung, poor boy.
The only ones who ever	care, poor boy,
doing' what I think I	should, O, yeah.

D Em

Doing' what I think I should.

Sing what must be sung."

The only ones who ever care.

Doing' what I think I should.

Chorus:

G C G C
And I don't give a damn about a greenback dollar,

G C G C
spend it as fast as I can.

G C G C
For a wailing' song and a good guitar,

D **Em**
the only things that I understand, poor boy,

D **Em**
the only things that I understand.

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