Texas Armadillo V1

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Intro-Gary
Verse 1-Paul
Chorus everyone?
Verse 2-Paul
Break-Gary
Verse 3-Paul
Chorus

Outro-one line, then Gary RIP riff Splat!

(Intro Lick)

(Verse 1)

- [D] Ridin' down 290, the fog was thick
- I didn't see what happened, it happened so quick
- [G] I felt a thump, I heard a squish
- [D] I hit the brakes about went in the ditch
- [A] Jumped out of my truck and to my surprise
- [D] (stop) A damned armadillo was [D] stuck to my tire

(Chorus)

[G] Well, ain't it the luck, it happens all the time

[D] Never seen one make it to the other side [E7] The chicken will cross that road for fun [A] (stop) To prove to the 'dilo that [A] it could be done (Verse 2) [D] If ever was a creature born with a jinx It's a Texas armadillo, whenever he thinks [G] "That road ain't so wide", "Hey, that truck ain't so fast" [D] Well, that kinda thinking always ends in a splat [A] It ain't their fault, they're made that way [D] (stop) Persistent armadillos 'til their [D] dying day (Instrumental break) [D] Ridin' down 290, the fog was thick I didn't see what happened, it happened so quick [G] I felt a thump, I heard a squish [D] I hit the brakes about went in the ditch [A] Jumped out of my truck and to my surprise [D] (stop) A damned armadillo was [D] stuck to my tire (Verse 3) [D] If your ridin' down any old Texas road

You see an armadillo walking on the shoulder

[G] It is true, as sure as you're born

- [D] It'll do you no good, to try to blow your horn
- [A] If he's got his mind to try to make it across
- [D] (stop) He'll try just that no matter [D] what the cost
- (Chorus)
- [G] Well, ain't it the luck, it happens all the time
- [D] Never seen one make it to the other side
- [E7] The chicken will cross that road for fun
- [A] (stop) To prove to the 'dilo that [A] it could be done
- (Verse 4)
- [D] If ever was a creature born with a jinx
- It's a Texas armadillo, whenever he thinks
- [G] "That road ain't so wide", "That truck ain't so fast"
- [D] That kinda thinking always ends in a splat
- [A] It ain't their fault, they're made that way
- [D] (stop) Persistent armadillos 'til their [D] dying day
- [A] It ain't their fault, they're made that way...
- <mark>[D]</mark> RIP riff - "Splat!"