

11-The Last Moonshiner - v02/27/26

Buddy Melton & Milan Miller - arranged for uke by Paul

(Intro riff (Gary-plays twice))

(Verse 1-Paulette)

[Cm]They're buying a license

[Eb]They're paying big bucks

It's [Fm]part of a grand old scheme.

They [Bb]make a big batch in a shiny new place

But [Cm]man it just ain't the real thing.

(Verse 2-Paul)

[Cm]They put it on trucks

[Eb]Haul it away

[Fm]stack it on a shelf in a store.

but [Bb]that ain't the way it's meant to be done

and [Cm]that ain't what it's made for.

(Chorus-everyone)

I'm the [Ab]last moon[Cm]shiner

the [Ab]last of a dying [Cm]kind

I'm the [Ab]last moon[Cm]shiner

I just wasn't [Ab]made (pause)[Fm]for these [Cm] times.

(Gary-Plays riff twice)

(Verse 3-Dan)

[Cm]it's got a strange name.

[Eb]it doesn't taste right.

wasn't [Fm]made in the cool mountain air.

[Bb]the water didn't come from a spring in the woods

but from a [Cm]tap in a city somewhere.

(Verse 4-Paul)

[Cm]I make it the way

[Eb]it's supposed to be made.

I ain't a [Fm]running around with these clowns.

[Bb]Some things can't be bought or sold

and you [Cm]can't water everything down.

(Chorus-everyone)

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the [Ab]last of a dying [Cm]kind
I'm the [Ab]last moon[Cm]shiner
I just wasn't [Ab]made (pause) [Fm]for these [Cm]times.

(Gary-Plays riff twice)

(Key change to C#m)

(Verse 5-Paulette)

[C#m]There's a big city lawyer
[E]She's making sure
that [F#m]all the taxes are paid.
[B]I tell you now straight up and true
well it's [C#m]just a disgrace to the trade.

(Verse 6-Dan)

[C#m]There's a billboard sign
says the [E]real moonshine.
let me [F#m]tell you one thing if you will
[B]you take the cash I'll take my pride
and [C#m]head back up to the hills.

(Chorus-everyone)

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the [A]last of a dying [C#m]kind
I'm the [A]last moon[C#m]shiner
I just wasn't [A]made [F#m]for these [C#m]times.

I'm the [A]last moon[C#m]shiner
I just wasn't [A]made (pause) [F#m]for these [C#m]times.

(Outro riff - Gary-plays twice)