

## 24 Hours From Tulsa [D] - Gene Pitney

[D]

[D]Dearest.....darling,  
I had to write to say that I won't be [E7]home any..[A]more.  
cause something [D]happened..... to me  
while I was driving home and I'm not the [E7]same any[A]more.

Oh, I was [G]only twenty-four hours from [Em]Tulsa,  
oh, [G]only one day away from your [Em]arms.  
I [C]saw a welcoming [D]light, and [C]stopped to rest for the [D]night.

And that is when[D] I.....saw her  
as I pulled in outside of the small [E7]motel she was [A]there.  
And so I [D]walked up..... to her  
asked where I could get something to eat and [E7]she showed me [A]where.

Oh, I was [G]only twenty-four hours from [Em]Tulsa,  
ah, [G]only one day away from your [Em]arms.  
She [C]took me to the [D]cafe, I [C]asked her if she would [D]stay.  
She [D]said..... okay.

[Solo]

[D] [D] [E7] [A]  
[D] [D] [E7] [A]

Oh, I was [G]only twenty-four hours from [Em]Tulsa,  
ahh, [G]only one day away from your [Em]arms.  
The [C]jukebox started to [D]play, and [C]night time turned into [D]day.

As we were [D]dancing.....closely,  
all of a sudden I lost control as [E7]I held her [A]charms.  
And I [D]caressed her..... kissed her,  
told her I'd die before I would let her [E7]out of my [A]arms.

Oh, I was [G]only twenty-four hours from [Em]Tulsa,  
ahh, [G]only one day away from your [Em]arms.  
I [C]hate to do this to [D]you, but [C]I found somebody [D]new.  
What [D]can.....I do?

And I can[D] never.....never.....never..[D7]...go [G]home again.