

# Viva Las Vegas

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*Maybe use [G-2] - makes easy transition [G] -> [Gadd9] or sub [G] for [Gadd9]*

[G] [G] [G] [Gadd9] [G] [G] [G] [G] [G] [Gadd9] [G] [G] x2

[G] Bright light city gonna [Gadd9] set [G] my soul  
[G] Gonna [Em] set my [G] soul on fire  
Got a whole lot of money that's [Gadd9] ready [G] to burn,  
So [Em] get those [G] stakes up higher [G]  
[Em] There's a [Em7] thousand pretty [Em] women [G] waitin' out [Em] there  
And they're all [Em7] livin the [G] devil may [Em] care  
And [Em7] I'm just the [Em] devil with [Em7] love to [Em] spare, [Em7] so!

[C] Viva Las [G] Vegas, [G] [C] Viva Las [G] Vegas [G]  
[G] How I wish that [Gadd9] there [G] were more  
Than the [Em] twenty-four [G] hours in the day  
Cause even if there were [Gadd9] forty [G] more  
I [Em] wouldn't [G] sleep a [Gadd9] minute a-[G]way  
[G] OH there's [Em] black jack [Em7] and [Em] poker  
and the [G] roulette [Em] wheel  
A fortune [Em7] won [Em] and lost on [G] every [Em] deal  
[Em] All you need's a [Em7] strong [Em] heart  
and a [Em7] nerve of [Em] steel, [Em7] well!

[C] Viva Las [G] Vegas, [G] [C] Viva Las [G] Vegas [G]  
[C] Viva Las Vegas with you [Am7] neon [C] flashin'  
[C] And your [Am7] one [C] arm bandits crashin'  
And [G] all those [Gadd9] hopes [G] down the drain [G]  
[C] Viva Las Vegas [Am7] turnin' [C] day into nighttime  
[Am7] Turnin' [C] night into daytime  
[Am7] If you [Am] see it once, [A] you'll never [A7] be the same a-[D]gain  
[D] ! [D] ! [D] ! [D] ! [D] ! [D] [D]

[G] I'm gonna keep on the run  
I'm gonna [Gadd9] have [G] me some fun  
If it [Em] costs me [G] my very last dime [G]  
If I [Gadd9] wind up [G] broke up well I'll [Gadd9] always re-[G]member  
That I [Em] had a [G] swingin' time [G]  
[Em] I'm gonna [Em7] give [Em] it every-[G]thing I've [Em] got  
Lady luck [Em7] please [Em] let the [G] dice stay [Em] hot  
Let me shoot a [Em7] seven with [Em] every shot, [Em7] Huh!

[C] Viva Las [G] Vegas, [G] [C] Viva Las [G] Vegas, [G] [C] Viva Las [G] Vegas [G]  
[C] Viva, [D] Viva, Las [G] Vegaaaa [G] aa [G] aa [G] aa [G] aa [G] aa [G] s [Gadd9]  
(fades out) [G] [G] [G] [G] [G] [Gadd9] [G] [G]

