The Hunger-Charley Pride
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C                        Am
They said in her younger days
    C                              F
Her beauty was enough to drive men wild
       G7                F
But the hunger in her body then
    G7                             C
Was not the hunger of some lonely child

                           Am
Like a butterfly in springtime
         C                                  F
Searching every field for lovin's sweetest rose
      G7                 F
The embrace of many strangers
      G7                                C
Still could not release her from the hold

                                 Am
In the back streets and the bedrooms
    C                                  F
All she's found is disappointments bitter weeds
         G7                          F
While the love that she's too often found
       G7                    C
Is not enough to satisfy her needs

                                 Am
She's older than the years she holds
    C                                  F
And aging fast with each day passing by
     G7                F
On a downhill run to nowhere
         G7                           C
Cause the hunger never can be satisfied

    F                  Em
The reflection in her mirror's
       F          Em                C
Not the image she remembers in her mind
    F                Em           D7
Her beauty has been eaten by the hunger
                     G7
And the acid winds of time

        C                    Am
She has danced the tune the demons play
    C                               F
And paid the piper dearly for his song
      G7              F
Empty now of all the pride
       G7                           C
Still inside the hunger's just as strong
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Repeat #2,3