My Rough And Rowdy Ways

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For years and years I've rambled
I drank my wine and gambled
But one day I thought I would settle down

I have met a perfect lady She said she'd be my baby We built a cottage in the old hometown

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Lord, the railroad trains are calling me away

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