**Roll on Eighteen Wheeler**

**Chorus 1**

**[E]Roll On highway, Roll On a-[A]long.**

**[E]Roll On daddy till you get back [A]home.**

**[E]Roll on fam'ly, Roll On [A]crew.**

**[E]Roll On mama like I asked you to do.**

**And [F#m]Roll On Eighteen [B]Wheeler, Roll On. [E]**

**E | A |E | A**

**verse 1**

**[A]Well it's Monday mornin', he's kissin' mama goodbye.**

**He's up and gone with the [C#m]sun.**

**[A]Daddy drives an eighteen wheeler,**

**and he's off on a midwest run.[E]**

**And three sad faces gather 'round mama.**

**They ask her when daddy's comin' [C#m]home.**

**[A]Daddy drives an eighteen wheeler,**

**and they sure miss him when he's [E]gone.**

**Climb 1:**

**Ah, but he [A]calls 'em ev'ry [G#m]night and [F#7]tells 'em**

**that he loves[B] them.**

**He taught 'em this song to sing:**

**(repeat chorus 1) afterward, key changes from E to F**

**F |F Bb**

**verse 2**

**[Bb]Well it's [F]Wednesday evening.**

**Mama's waitin' by the phone.**

**It rings but it's not his [Dm]voice.**

**Seems the high-[Bb]way patrol has found a jack-knifed rig**

**in a snowbank in Illinois.[F]**

**But the driver was missin',**

**and the search had been abandoned**

**'cause the weather had ev'rything [Dm]stalled.**

**And they had [Bb]checked all the houses and the local motels;**

**when they had some more news they'd call.[F]**

**Climb 2:**

**And she told [Bb]them when they [Am]found him to tell [Gm7]him**

**that she loved[C] him.**

**And she hung up the phone singin':**

**Chorus 2:**

**[F]Roll On highway, Roll On a-[Bb]long.**

**[F]Roll On daddy till you get back [Bb]home.**

**[F]Roll on fam'ly, Roll On [Bb]crew.**

**[F]Roll On mama like I asked you to do.**

**And [Gm]Roll On Eighteen [C]Wheeler, Roll On. [Dm]**

**Bridge:**

**[Dm]Mama and the children will be [Am7]waiting up all night long,**

**thinkin' [Bb]nothin' but the worst is comin'**

**with the ring-[F]in' of the telephone.**

**Oh, but the [Dm]Man upstairs was list'nin'**

**when Mama [Bb]asked him to bring Daddy home.**

**And when the [Gm]call came in, it was Daddy on the other end,**

**[C]askin' her if she had been a-singin' the song, singin':**

**REPEAT Chorus 2, but instead of Dm at the end of "Roll On Eighteen Wheeler,**

**Roll On", make it an F.**

**F | Bb |**

**[F]Eighteen whee-[Bb]ler**

**[F]Eighteen whee-[Bb]ler**

**[F]Eighteen whee-[Bb]ler**

**[F]Eighteen whee-[Bb]ler----(hold until finally "roll on!")**

**Bb |Fm/Bb**

**[F]Roll On!**