

Run for the Roses

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(VERSE)

C Em F G7
Born in the valley, and raised in the trees
C Em F G7
Of Western Ken-tucky, on wobbly knees
C Em F Fm
With Mama be-side you, to help you a-long,
C Am Dm G7
You'll soon be a-growing up strong.
C Em F G7
All the long lazy mornings, in pastures of green,
C Em F G7
The sun on your withers, the wind in your mane
C Em F Fm
Could never pre-pare you for what lies a-head:
C Am Dm -G7
The run for the roses so red. And it's...

(CHORUS)

F G7 Em
Run for the roses as fast as you can
F G7 Em
Your fate is de-livered. Your moment's at hand.
F G7 Em F
It's the chance of a lifetime, in a lifetime of chance,
Dm G7
And it's high time you joined in the dance.
A# F
It's high time you joined in the dance.

(VERSE)

From sire to sire, it's born in the blood.
The fire of a mare and the strength of a stud.
It's breeding, and it's training, and it's something un-known,
That drives you and carries you home. So it's...

(REPEAT CHORUS)