

# SPINNING WHEEL

Words and Music by  
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Moderately slow, with a beat

The musical score consists of two staves. The top staff is for the voice, starting with a dynamic *p* and a key signature of one sharp. It includes lyrics and guitar chords indicated by chord boxes above the staff. The bottom staff is for the piano or guitar, providing harmonic support with bass notes and chords. The score is divided into four sections by vertical bar lines, each containing a different set of lyrics and chords.

N.C.  
*p*

E7 A7  
D7 G E7 A7 D7 G

What goes up must come down,

*mf*

E7 A7 D7 G E7 A7  
spin-ning wheel got to go 'round. Talk - in' 'bout your trou - bles, it's a

D7 G D7 N.C. D7#9  
cry - in' sin, — ride a paint-ed po nny, let the spin-ning wheel spin.

E7                    A7                    D7                    G                    E7                    A7  


You got no mon - ey,                    you got no home, —                    spin-ning wheel

D7                    G                    E7                    A7                    D7                    G  


all a - lone, —                    talk - in' 'bout your trou-bles and you,                    you nev-er learn, —

D7                    N.C.                    D7#9  


ride a paint - ed po - ny, let the spin - ning wheel — turn.

C                    B♭  


Did you find your di - rect - ing sign — on the

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The sheet music consists of four systems of musical notation. The top system features a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a time signature of common time. It includes lyrics: "straight and nar - row high way. — Would you mind — a re -". Chord boxes above the staff indicate chords A♭ (with a 4fr instruction), G (with a 4fr instruction), and C. The second system continues with lyrics: "flect - ing sign? — Just let it shine — with - in your mind, — and". Chord boxes indicate B♭, A♭ (with a 4fr instruction), and G. The third system concludes with lyrics: "show you — the col - ors — that are real. —". Chord boxes indicate A♭ (with a 4fr instruction), B♭, and C. The fourth system begins with a D9 chord (indicated by a box with x's and a 4fr instruction) and continues with a sustained note followed by a bass line.

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E7



A7



D7



G



E7



A7



Some - one is wait - ing just for you, \_\_\_\_\_ spin-ning wheel

D7



G



E7



A7



D7



G



spin-ning true. \_\_\_ Drop all your trou-bles by the riv - er - side, \_\_\_

D7



N.C.

D7#9



catch a paint - ed po - ny on the spin - ning wheel \_\_\_ ride.

E7



A7



D7



G



**Repeat and Fade**

E7



A7



D7



G

