

## Getting By A Quarter At A Time

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She's not a kid anymore she can hide her age in these dim lights  
Waitin' tables in this bar ain't what she's lookin' for  
The short years fly by but oh the long long nights  
A bar tends to make a woman hard  
Read a story in the lines beneath her eyes  
As tips hit the table they jingle and they jangle  
Get her by a quarter at a time  
She's getting by a quarter at a time a diamond in the rough has  
lost her shine  
Slingin' drinks at least will pay the rent again get her by a quarter  
at a time

Another man stands up to leave she's always been left behind  
The change she's waitin' for keeps walkin' out the door  
But her quarters are sliver lined she's danced to everybody's tune  
But gettin' stepped on don't make her cry  
But after work the jukebox brings a little tear drop  
The memories cost a quarter at a time  
She's getting by a quarter...