

Ramblin' Boy

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A E7 A
He was a man and a friend always
E7 A
He stuck with me through the hard old days
D A
He never cared if I had no dough
E7 A
We rambled around in the rain and snow.

CHORUS:

A D A
And here's to you, my ramblin' boy
E7 A
May all your ramblin' bring you joy.
D A
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E7 A
May all your ramblin' bring you joy.
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In Tulsa town, we chanced to stray
E7 A
we thought we'd try to work one day
D A
The boss says he had room for one
E7 A
says my old pal, we'd rather bum (Chorus)
E7 A

Late one night in a jungle camp
E7 A
The weather it was cold and damp
D A
He got the chills and he got 'em bad.
E7 A
They took the only friend I had (Chorus)
E7 A

He left me here, to ramble on
E7 A
My ramblin' pal is dead and gone
D A
If when we die, we go somewhere
E7 A
I bet you a dollar, he's ramblin' there (Chorus 2X)