

# The Letter That Johnny Walker Read

## Asleep At The Wheel

Johnny Walker sat  
At a table in a bar  
Minding his own affairsDrinking his namesake  
Over the rocks  
He was drunk  
Too drunk to careWhen a girl in the bar  
Walked up beside him  
And this is what she saidShe said, a woman came by  
With a letter for you  
And this is what the letter said[Chorus]  
Dear, John, please, Johnny  
Please come home  
I need your love and  
The kids, they gotta be fed  
And John, if you don't  
Hurry back, I'll be gone  
Yes, that's what the letter said  
The letter that Johnny Walker readThen John  
He got up from the table  
Slowly, he walked outsideHe was thinking of his wife  
And little children at home  
And how his drinking  
Had ruined their livesThen John, he stared off  
Into that street light  
And a vision filled his  
Poor, poor heart with dreadFor it was him lying drunk  
There in that gutter  
Clutching in his hand  
The letter that Johnny Walker read  
And this is what it said[Chorus: x2]

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