

Melissa
The Allman Brothers Band

	E A D G B E
A6:	[0 4 4 2 0 0]
Emaj7:	[0 6 6 4 0 0]
E7sus2:	[0 0 4 4 3 0]
C#m/E:	[0 0 6 6 5 0]
A/E:	[0 7 7 6 0 0]
E	[0 2 2 1 0 0]
B	[x 2 4 4 4 2]
C#m	[x 4 6 6 5 4]

[Verse 1]

E A6 Emaj7 A6
Crossroads, seem to come and go, yeah.

E A6
The gypsy flies from coast to coast

A E7sus2 C#m/E E7sus2
Knowing many, loving none,

E A6 Emaj7 A/E
Bearing sorrow havin' fun,

Cmaj7 B E A6 Emaj7 A6
But back home he'll always run to sweet Melissa... mmm...

E A6 Emaj7 A6
Freight train, each car looks the same, all the same.

E A6
And no one knows the gypsy's name

A E7sus2 C#m/E E7sus2
No one hears his lonely sigh,

E A6 Emaj7 A6
There are no blankets where he lies.

Cmaj7 B
In all his deepest dreams the gypsy flies
 E A6 Emaj7 A6
with sweet Melissa... mmm...

[Instrumental]

E A6 Emaj7 A6 (repeat 2x)

[Chorus]

E
Again the morning's come,
D
Again he's on the run,
A
Sunbeams shining through his hair,
B
Appearing not to have a care.
C#m A B
Well, pick up your gear and gypsy roll on, roll on.

[Verse 2]

E A6 Emaj7 A6
Crossroads, will you ever let him go? (lord, lord)
E A6
Will you hide the dead man's ghost,
A E7sus2 C#m/E E7sus2
Or will he lie, beneath the clay,
E A6 Emaj7 A6
Or will his spirit roll away?

[Bridge]

Cmaj7 B E A6
But I know that he won't stay without Melissa.
Cmaj7 B E A6 Emaj7 A6
Yes I know that he won't stay without Melissa.

[Outro]

E A6 Emaj7 A6 (repeat until end)