No fool like an old fool.

It's true I've been a rover
But my wandering days were over
And I've settled down and changed my ways
So I comes here every Sunday
And although it's only one day,
It's enough to keep the blues away

She came in late one evening
Just as he had thought of leaving
And something made me start
I hadn't seen her since the sixties
But if my eyes weren't playing tricks
She was the only one to break his heart

By now my heart was beating
Just like clapped out central heating
He wondered how I could be sure
So when she started talking 'bout
her man was such a drunken lout
I nearly fell right through the floor.

'Kath' I cried, they said you'd died, they must have lied, I'm by your side I can't believe it's home you've come' But my eyes spread wide when she replied, 'Now take a ride, you're too pie-eyed you must be thinking of my Mum'

There's no fool like an old fool
And I sat there on that bar stool
And the thought that made me sad
Spinning round my head
Were the very words she said,
'You must be old enough to be my Dad'

So if you've been a rover
And you're roving days are over
Take a warning from this song,
Mix your whiskey with some water
Or one day you'll find a daughter
To remind you where you went wrong

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