Granddaddy's Trunk @David Pugh/Rick Lang

V1

In 1897 grandaddy started life
At an early age learned to read an write
Always helping others, he had a heart of gold
Dreamed of driving Model T's when he was just ten years old

V2

Just a lad granddad learned to work with his hands Found some old boards in the barn and came up with a plan Designed a lovely wooden trunk with paper and pen One sturdy and strong to make his dad proud of him

Chorus

That old wooden trunk is with us to this day Filled with treasures Grandaddy stored away Get the urge to go through it every now and then Makes me smile for a while when I think of him

V3

Went into the attic just the other day
Found granddaddy's trunk, wiped the cobwebs away
Opened up the latches took a peek inside
As I went through the treasures tears welled in my eyes

V4

Black and white of he and grandma on their wedding day Prince Albert tobacco cans, gold pocket watch and chain Granddads old army clothes, dog tags from the war Medal of Honor he won on foreign shores