Summer Kitchen Ballad

Josh Rouse

Sat in the kitchen with an asthma cigarette Out the window with an inch of regret It's a gray world

Sold all the gear that he had in the shed Gave him a hard time, so he up and quit It's a gray world

And the old van is tired and slow Wouldn't go

Down at the quarry to have a swim
I took off my shirt but you won't go in
It's a gray world

Later at the fire with a marshmallow stick You were embarrassed because she was so thin It's a gray world

And the old van is tired and slow Wouldn't go, wouldn't go, wouldn't go