

Song: "Plans"

Album: Reckonings (2023 Release by Eric Kilburn)

Out the door by 8:15, bike to town for gasoline
I got 4 lawns to mow, a couple to lime, back home by supertime
After dinner, my time is my own
With my cheap guitar and a Silvertone
Making sounds my folks don't like or understand
But I got plans, I got plans
Other boys are dreaming 'bout girls and muscle cars
But I just want that Gibson Les Paul Guitar

I'm 15, the world has opened my eyes, I look around and realize
If you're gonna get anywhere you can't slow down
Jump in the water, try not to drown
The old guy in the store, sees that look in my face
"If you want it kid, I can lay it away.
Give me the dough by Labor Day, it's in your hands"
I got plans, I got plans
65 more lawns to mow, with my eyes full of stars
I'm gonna get that Gibson Les Paul guitar

(Bridge)

There's a sound and a memory the years can't erase
When you come of age and wanna take your place
Nothin' takes up space like a boy with a 'Paul
Plugged into a Marshall stack, nothin' can hold you back
Turn it up to ten man, let it smack those walls!

He took it off the rack that very day
Stuck it in the back, and I'd come and play
Once or twice a week, when my work was through
I couldn't believe what it could do
My folks always thought I was saving for college
But I was holding out for the higher knowledge
On September 1st, I put the money in his hands
'Cause I got plans, I got plans
300 bucks of blood and sweat can take you far
I saw my future flash before me and my Les Paul Guitar
I floated out the door with my Gibson Les Paul Guitar