The Thanksgiving Song

Ben Rector
Key of D

Intro

D D/F# G D/F# Bm7 A
D D/F# G/B D/A D/A Asus4

Verse

D
Familiar highways

G/**D**   **A**/**D**
lined with leaves turned brown

D
making my way

G/**D**   **A**/**D**
back into my hometown

D/**F**♯   **G**   **A**^**sus4**   **A**
funny how this all looks different, but it feels the same

D/**F**♯   **G**   **A**^**sus4**   **A**
like how life never stops changing, some things never change

Chorus

B^**m**   **A**^**sus4**
So fill your plate and fill your drink

A   **D**   **D**/**F**♯
and fill this house with family

B^**m**   **D**   **A**^**sus4** **A**
the kind of love that all these years can't wash away

G/**B**   **D**/**A**   **A**   **D**
cause the older that I get I see that life is short and bittersweet

G   **A**
thank God for this Thanksgiving Day...

Intro

D D/F# G D/F# Bm7 A
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      D
Watching football
      B^m   **A**
watching families grow
        D
the old kids table
       B^m   **A**
all have kids of their own
    D/F#   **G**   **A**   **D/A** **A**
starting to see my grandfather in my nephews eyes
   D/F#   **G**   **A**
mom still can't talk about him and not almost cry

Chorus'

  G   **D**
So fill your plate and fill your drink
   A   **D**   **D/F#**
and fill this house with family
    B^m   **D**   **A**^{sus4} **A**
the kind of love a thousand miles can't wash away
    G/B   **D/A**   **A** **A#**^{m7♭5} **B**^m   **B**^m**/A**
cause the older that I get I see that life is short and bittersweet
    G   **A**
thank God for this Thanksgiving Day...

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Bridge
D D/F# G D/F# Bm7 A
D D/F# G/B D/A D/A A

Chorus''

    B^m   **D**/**A**
So fill your plate and fill your drink

           A   **D**
put your dishes in the kitchen sink

         G/**B**   **D**/**A**   **A^sus4** **A**
and let the leftover year just wash away

        B^m   **A**   **A**   **A♯^dim B^m**
cause we made it through, I do believe, the longest year in history

     G   **A**
thank God that it's Thanksgiving Day...

Outro
D D/F# G D/F# Bm7 A
D D/F# G/B D/A D/A A
D D/F# G D/F# Bm7 A
D D/F# G/B D/A D/A A... D