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Ain't Nobody Gonna Miss Me

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

Once I had a little sweetheart I love dearly

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

We planned the day when she would be my own

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

Another man he stole my darlin from me

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

And there ain't nobody gonna miss me when I'm gone

Oh there ain't nobody gonna miss me when I'm gone

There ain't nobody gonna mourn for me too long

Oh won't you write these words upon my tombstone

There ain't nobody gonna miss me when I'm gone

I had a loving mother dear and daddy

They've gone to live where the angels love to dwell

They found eternal life up there in Heaven

Where I'll find my reward no one can tell

Now you've been faithful kind and true to me old Copper

You're the only one that's never done me wrong

I am weeping while I pat your head old Copper

For there ain't nobody gonna miss me when I'm gone

Angel Band

Vers

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Refreng

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

My latest sun is sinking fast

My race is nearly run

My longest trials now are past

My triumph has begun

Oh come angel band

Come and around me stand

Oh Bear me away on your snow white wings

To my immortal home

Oh bear me away on you snow white wings

To my immortal home

Oh bear my longing heart to him

Who bled and died for me

Whose blood now cleanses from all sin

And gives me victory

Banks Of The Ohio

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

I asked my love to take a walk
Just to walk a little ways
And as we walked along we talked
All about our wedding day

Only say that you'll be mine
In no others arms entwined
Down beside where the waters flow
On the banks of the Ohio

I took her by her lily white hand
I dragged her down that bank of sand
There I threw her in to drown
I watched her as she floated down

Returning home between twelve and one
Thinking of what a deed I'd done
I'd killed the girl I loved you see
Because she would not marry me

The very next day about half passed four
The sheriff's men knocked at my door
He said young man come now and go
Down to the banks of the Ohio

Big Spike Hammer

Vers

1 / 1 / 6m / 6m

4 / 4 / 6m / 6m

1 / 1 / 1 / 6m

4 / 4 / 6m / 6m

5 / 5 /

Can't you hear the whistle of my big spike hammer Lord it's
busting my side
I've done all I can do to keep that woman happy
Still she's not satisfied

Hey hey Della Mae
Why do you treat me this way
Hey hey Della Mae
I'll get even some day

Refreng

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

I'm the best hammer swinger on this big section gang
Big Bill Johnson is my name
Lord this hammer that I swing for a dollar and a half a day
I'll all for my Della Mae

Now I've been lots of places, not much I ain't done
There's still alot of things I'd like to see
Lord this hammer that I swing or the woman that I love
Yes, one's gonna be the death of me

6m
Big Spike Hammer

6m
Big Spike Hammer

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Blue Moon Of Kentucky

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Blue moon of Kentucky, keep on shining

Shine on the one that's gone and proved untrue

Blue moon of Kentucky, keep on shining

Shine on the one that's gone and left me blue

It was on a moonlight night

The star is shining bright

And they whispered from on high

Your love has said good-bye

Blue moon of Kentucky, keep on shining

Shine on the one that's gone and said good-bye

Blue Night

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 4 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Blue night gotcha on my mind
Blue night can't keep from crying
You found someone that was new
You quit someone that you knew was true
Blue night gotcha on my mind

Blue night blue as I can be
'Cause I don't know what's become of me
We used to walk now I walk alone
With an achin' heart cause my love is gone
Blue night blue as I can be

Blue night I'm all alone
I used to call you on the telephone
Well I used to call and it made you glad
Now I call and it makes you mad
Blue night I'm all alone

Blue night all by myself
Because she put me on the shelf
Well there's just one thing you should know
You're gonna reap just what you sow
Blue night, all by myself

Blue Ridge Cabin Home

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

There's a well beaten path in the old mountainside
Where I wandered when I was a lad
And I wandered alone to the place I call home
In those Blueridge hills far away

Oh I love those hills of old Virginia
From those Blueridge hills I did roam
When I die won't you bury me on the mountain
Far away near my Blueridge mountain home

Now my thoughts wander back to that ramshackle shack
In those blue ridge hills far away
Where my mother and dad were laid there to rest
They are sleeping in peace together there

I return to that old cabin home with the sigh
I've been longing for days gone by
When I die won't you bury me on that old mountain side
Make my resting place upon the hills so high

Blues Stay Away From Me

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Blues stay away from me

Blues why don't you let me be

I don't know why you keep on haunting me

Love was never meant for me

True love was never meant for me

It seems somehow we never can agree

Life is full of misery

Dreams are like a memory

Bringing back your love that used to be

Tears so many I can't see

Years don't mean a thing to me

Time goes by and still I can't be free

Blue Trail Of Sorrow

Vers

1 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 5 / 5

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Blue trail of sorrow
Lies upon the ground
And I get so lonely
Since you let me down

Well, I used to be so happy
Walkin' on these streets
Now there's just sadness
Everywhere I meet

Refreng

4 / 1 / 4 / 5

4 / 5 / 1 / 1

4 / 1 / 4 / 5

4 / 5 / 1 / 1

Start walkin', baby, walk all over town
Sweet tears of sadness fallin' down
Keep lookin', baby, and I won't be around
Blue trail of sorrow on the ground

Now when I had a dollar
You'd stick right by me
Now I've got nothin'
But blues for company

Well, I think I'll leave tomorrow
I'm tired of this old town
But it won't be hard to find me
If you look down on the ground

Bury Me Beneath The Willow

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

My heart is sad and I'm in sorrow
Weeping for the one I love
When shall I see her oh no never
'Til we meet in heaven above

Bury me beneath the willow
Under the weeping willow tree
So she may know where I am sleeping
And perhaps she'll weep for me

Tomorrow was to be our wedding
God oh God where can she be
She's gone a courting with another
And no longer cares for me

She told me that she did not love me
I could not believe it was true
Until an angel softly whispered
She no longer cares for you

Place on my grave a snow white lily
To prove my love for her was true
To show the world I died of grieving
For her love I could not win

Carolina In The Pines

Vers

1 / 1 / 2m / 2m

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

2m / 2m / 3m / 3m

4 / 5 / 1 / 1

She came to me said she knew me
Said she'd known me a long time
And she talked of being in love
With every mountain she had climbed

And she talked of trails she'd walked up
Far above the timberline
From that night on I knew I'd write songs
For Carolina in the pines.

Refreng

1 / 1 / 2m / 2m

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

2m / 2m / 3m / 3m

4 / 5 / 1 / 1

2m / 2m / 4 / 4

1 / 1

There's a full moon on the fourteenth
First quarter twenty-first
And a full moon in the last week
Brings a fullness to the earth.

There's no guess work in the clockwork
Of the world's heart or mine
There are nights I only feel right
With Carolina in the pines.

As the frost grows on the windows
The wood stove smokes and glows
As the fire glows we can warm our souls
Makin' rainbows in the coals.

And we talk of trails we walk up
Far above the timberline
There are nights I only feel right
With Carolina in the pines.

Carolina Star

Vers

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Refreng

5 / 5 / 4 / 1

4 / 5 / 1 / 1

Back in the hills oh slow rollin' hills

Where North Carolina comes close to the stars

There's livin' a lady who's shinin' so high

They call her the "Carolina Star"

She works at the factory from Monday through Friday

She's raisin' three daughters alone

Their daddy's away, he's chasing a dream

They're waitin' for the day that he comes home

Oh, Carolina

Even stars get lonesome now and then

Oh, Carolina

Don't you worry, he'll be comin' home again

He's playin' his songs in Nashville

He's pickin' for tips in a bar

He's broke and all alone, but he ain't ready to come home

He's gonna be a country singin' star

Sometimes she wakes up just thinking of him

She remembers him beside her in the night

While out across those hills that old moon is settled in

And those Carolina stars are shining bright

Yes he loves you and he's comin' home again.

Cold Sheets Of Rain

Vers

1 / 4 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 5 / 5

1 / 4 / 1 / 1

4 / 5 / 1 / 1

I've seen the lightning flashin' I've heard the thunder roar

Somewhere on the dark side of town

My baby's with a new love the wind is howlin' on

I should be with her right now

Cold sheets of rain pouring down is my love safe and warm

Where is she sleeping now

Cold sheets of rain pouring down

Refreng

5 / 5 / 6m / 4

1 / 4 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 6m / 4

1 / 4 / 1 / 1

Well I worry so about her she's afraid of storms

She needs someone to ease her mind

She needs someone with her to keep her safe and warm

Someone who's patient and kind

Columbus Stockade Blues

Vers

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Refreng

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

6m / 1 / 4 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Way down in Columbus, Georgia

Want to be back in Tennessee

Way down in Columbus Stockade

Friends all turned their backs on me

Go and leave me if you wish to

Never let it cross your mind

If in your heart you love another

Leave me little darling, I don't mind

Last night as I lay sleeping

I dreamt I held you in my arms

When I awoke I was mistaken

I was peering through the bars

Many a night with you I've rambled

Many an hour with you I've spent

Thought I had your heart forever

Now I find it's only lent

Cry Cry Darlin'

Vers

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

2 / 2 / 5 / 5⁷

1 / 1⁷ / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Refreng

1 / 1⁷ / 4 / 4

1 / 1 / 5 / 5⁷

1 / 1⁷ / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Cry cry darling

That's what I'll do If you should leave me with the blues

Cry cry darling

That's all I do cause you're the one that's in my heart

For me there'll be no moonlight

If ever we should part

Cry cry darling,that's all I do

Cause you're the one that's in my heart

Cry cry darling

My eyes will cry and never dry if you should go

Cry cry darling

When shadows creep I'll just weep all night I know

You know how much I'd miss you

If ever we should part

Cry cry darling

That's all I do cause you're the one that's in my heart

Dark As The Night

Vers

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Dark as the night and blue as the day

I'm lonesome my darling since you went away

Sometimes I wonder what made you stray

Dark as the night and blue as the day.

Blue as the sky there's blues in my heart

Yes it's dark outside since we've been apart

Oh tell me please tell me why did you stray

Dark as the night I'm blue as the day.

Dark Hollow

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / b7 / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

I'd rather be in some dark hollow

Where the sun don't never shine

Than to be here alone just knowin' that you're gone

It would cause me to lose my mind

So blow your whistle freight train

Blow it far on down the track

I'm going away, I'm leavin' today

I'm going but I ain't comin' back

I'd rather be in some dark hollow

Where the sun don't never shine

Than to be here in some big city

In a small room with you on my mind

Don't Give Your Heart To A Rambler

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Don't fall in love with me darling I'm a rambler
Although you're the sweetest sweetheart in this world
It's all for your sake dear that I'm leaving
Don't give your heart to a rambler, little girl

I handed you a line dear and I'm sorry
You're just a little sweeter than the rest
Believe me when I say I don't want to hurt you
Or do anything to mar our happiness

If I'd never had the blues, little darling
Or the lure of the road, dear on my mind
But I'm bound to hear the whistle of a freight train
And the boxcars as they rattle down the line

Don't Let Your Deal Go Down

6 / 6 / 2 / 2

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Well, I've been all around this whole wide world
Been down to sunny Alabam
My mama always told me, Son
Never let your deal go down

Don't let your deal go down
Don't let your deal go down
Don't let your deal go down
Till your last gold dollar is gone

Well, the last time I seen that gal of mine
She was standing in the door
She said honey I'll be a long time gone
You'll never see your gal no more

Well, I'm going down the railroad track
Gonna take my rocking chair
If there doggone blues don't leave my mind
I'm gonna run away from here

Don't This Road Look Rough And Rocky

Vers

1 / 1-4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1-4 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Refreng

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1-4 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Darling, I have come to tell you
Though it almost breaks my heart
But before the morning darling
We'll be many miles apart

Don't this road look rough and rocky
Don't that sea look wide and deep
Don't my baby look the sweetest
When she's in my arms asleep

Can't you hear the night birds crying
Far across the deep blue sea
While of others you are thinking
Won't you sometimes think of me

One more kiss before I leave you
One more kiss before we part
You have caused me lots of trouble
Darling you have broke my heart

Dooley

Vers

1 / 4 / 1 / 5

1 / 4 / 1-5 / 1

1 / 4 / 1 / 5

1 / 4 / 1-5 / 1

Refreng

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 1 / 5 / 1

Dooley was a good old man

He lived below the mill

Dooley had two daughters and a forty gallon still

One gal watched the boiler the other watched the spout

Mama corked the bottles when old Dooley fetched them
out

Dooley, slipping up the holler

Dooley, trying to make a dollar

Dooley, give me a swaller and I'll pay you back some day

The revenueurs came for him a slipping through the woods

Dooley kept behind them all and never lost his goods

Dooley was a trader when into town he'd come

Sugar by the bushel and molasses by the ton

I remember very well the day old Dooley died

The women folk looked sorry and the men stood 'round and
cried

Now Dooley's on the mountain he lies there all alone

They put a jug beside him and a barrel for a stone

Down The Road

1 / 1-6m / 1 / 5-1 Now down the road just a mile or two
1 / 1-6m / 1 / 5-1 Lives a little girl named Pearly Blue
About so high and her hair is brown
The Prettiest thing boys in this town

Now anytime you want to know
Where I'm going, down the road
Get my girl on the line
You'll find me there most any old time

Now everyday and Sunday too
I go to see my Pearly Blue
Before you hear that rooster crow
You'll see me headed down the road

Now old man Flatt he owned the farm
From the hog lot to the barn
From the barn to the rail
He made his living by carrying the mail

Now every time I get the blues
I walk the soles right off my shoes
I don't know why I love her so
That gal of mine lives down the road

Drifting Too Far From The Shore

Vers

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 4 / 2m

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Out on the perilous deep
Where dangers silently creep
And storms so violently sweep
You're drifting too far from the shore

Drifting too far from the shore
Drifting too far from the shore
Come to Jesus today, let him show you the way
Drifting too far from the shore

Refreng

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Today the tempest rolls high
And clouds overshadow the sky
Sure death is hovering nigh
Drifting too far from the shore

Drink Up And Go Home

Vers

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 5 / 5

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

4 / 4-5 / 1 / 1

You sit there a-crying, crying in your beer

You say you've got troubles, my friend listen here

Don't tell me your troubles got enough of my own

Be thankful you're living, drink up and go home

I'm fresh out of prison, six years in the pen

Lost my wife and family, no one to call friend

Don't tell me your troubles, got enough of my own

Be thankful you're living, drink up and go home

Refreng

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 5 / 5

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

4 / 4-5 / 1 / 1

Back there sets a blind man, so blind he can't see

Yet he's not complaining, why should you or me?

Don't tell me your troubles, got enough of my own

Be thankful you're living, drink up and go home

East Virginia Blues

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

4 / 1 / 5 / 1

I was born in East Virginia,
North Carolina I did go.
There I met a fair young maiden,
And her name I did not know.

Oh, her hair was dark and curly,
And her cheeks were rosy red.
On her breast she wore white linen,
Where I longed to lay my head.

I don't want your green back dollar,
I don't want your watch and chain.
All I want is your heart darling,
Say you'll take me back again.

The ocean's deep and I can't wade it,
And I have no wings to fly.
I'll just get me a blue eyed boaten,
For to row me over time.

I'll go back to East Virginia,
North Carolina ain't my home.
I'll go back to East Virginia,
Leave them North Carolinians alone.

Eight More Miles To Louisville

Vers

1 / 5 / 1 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 4

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 5 / 1 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

I've traveled o'er this country wide seeking fortune fair
Up and down the two coast lines I've traveled everywhere
From Portland East to Portland West back along the line
I'm going now to the place that's best that old hometown of mine

Eight more miles and Louisville will come into my view
Eight more miles on this old road and I'll never more be blue
I knew some day that I'd come back I knew it from the start
Eight more miles to Louisville the hometown of my heart

There's bound to be a gal somewhere that you like best of all
Mine lives down in Louisville she's long and she is tall
But she's the kind that you can't find a traveling through the land
I'm on my way this very day to win her heart and hand

Refreng

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

2 / 2 / 5 / 5

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 5 / 1 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Now I can picture in my mind a place we'll call our home
A humble little hut for two we'll never want to roam
The place that's right for that love sight is in those bluegrass hills
Where gently flows the Ohio by a place called Louisville

Fireball Mail

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Here she comes, look at her go
There she goes, eaten that coal
Watch her fly, look at her sail,
Let her by, by, by, the Fireball Mail

Let her go, look at her steam,
Here the low, whistle and scream
Like a hound dog wagging its tail,
Let her by, by, by, the Fireball Mail

Engineer, making up time,
Tracks are clear, look at her climb
See that freight, clear the rail,
I'll bet she's late, late, late, the Fireball Mail

Watch her swerve, look at her sway,
Get that curve out of the way
Watch her fly, look at her sail,
Let her by, by, by, the Fireball Mail

Footprints In The Snow

Vers

1 / 1 / 1 / 4

5 / 5 / 5 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Refreng

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Now some folks like the summertime when the they can walk about
Strolling through the meadow green it's pleasant there no doubt
But give me the wintertime when the snow is on the ground
For I found her when the snow on the ground

I traced her little footprints in the snow
I found her little footprints in the snow
I bless that happy day when Nellie lost her way
For I found her when the snow was on the ground

I dropped in to see her there was a big round moon
Her mother said she just stepped out but would be returning soon
I found her little footprints and I traced them in the snow
I found her when the snow was on the ground

Now she's up in heaven she's with the angel band
I know I'm going to meet her in that promised land
But everytime the snow falls it brings back memories
For I found her when the snow was on the ground

Fox On The Run

Vers

4 / 1 / 5 / 1

4 / 1 / 2 / 5

4 / 1 / 5 / 1

4 / 1 / 5 / 1

She walks through the corn leading down to the river
Her hair shone like gold in the hot morning sun
She took all the love that a poor boy could give her
And left me to die like a fox on the run
Like a fox, like a fox, like a fox, like a fox, on the run

Refreng

1 / 5 / 2m / 4

2m / 5 / 4 / 1

1 / 5 / 2m / 4

2m / 5 / 4 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 4 / 4

1 / 1

Everybody knows, the reason for the fall
When woman tempted man down in paradise's hall
This woman tempted me, and took me for a ride
Like the lonely fox, I need a place to hide

We'll pour a glass of wine, to fortify our soul
We'll talk about the world and friends we used to know
I see a string of girls, who'll put me on the floor
The game is nearly over and the hounds are at my door

Freeborn Man

Vers

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

Refreng

4 / 4 / 4 / 4

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 5 / 5

1 / 1

Well, I was born in the Southland

Twenty-some odd years ago

I ran away for the first time

When I was four years old

I'm a free born man

My home is on my back

I know every inch of highway

And every foot of back road

Every mile of railroad track

I got a gal in Cincinnati

Got a woman in San Antone

I always loved the girl next door

But anyplace is home

I got me a worn-out guitar

I carry an old tote sack

I hocked it about two hundred times

But I always get it back

You may not like my appearance

May not like my song

May not tike the way I talk

But you like the way I'm gone

Ginseng Sullivan

Vers

1 / 1 / 1 / 4

4 / 1 / 4 / 6m

5 / 1 / 1

About three miles from the Battelle yard

From the reverse curve on down

Not far south of the town depot

Sullivan's shack was found

Back on the higher ground

Refreng

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

4 / 1 / 1 / 4 / 4⁷

b7 / 1 / 2m / 5

1 / 4 / 1 / 1

1-4 / 5-1

You could see him every day

Walking down the line

With his old brown sack across his back

And his long hair down behind

Speaking his worried mind

It's a long way to the Delta

From the North Georgia hills

And a tote sack full of ginseng

Won't pay no traveling bills

Now, I'm too old to ride the rails

Or thumb the road alone

Well I guess I'll never make it back to home

My muddy water Mississippi Delta home

Well, the winters here they get too cold

The damp it makes me ill

Can't dig no roots in the mountain side

With the ground froze hard and still

Gotta stay at the foot of the hill

But next summer, if things turn right

The companies will pay high

I'll make enough money to pay my bills

And bid these mountains goodbye

Then he said with a sigh

Girl From West Virginia

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

She told me that her name was Jenny

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

She lived in a cabin on a hill

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

In a coal mining town in West Virginia

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

I love Jenny and I guess I always will

I thought I would always want to ramble

I thought I would never settle down

Well I met her in the hills of West Virginia

In the heart of a coal mining town

I like the sound of the coal trucks.

Back in the hills haulin' coal

With the beautiful mountains all around me

West Virginia you have won my heart and soul

Gonna Settle Down

Vers

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 1

Tonight I'm all alone no place to call my own
Don't have no one to love me anymore
I'm gonna pack up my grip and take a long long trip
Back to the one that I love so

Oh I long to go back to my darling

Back to the one I love so well

I know she'll be my wife and we'll settle down for life

Cause she's the one that means the world to me

Refreng

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

I can't forget the day I left and went away
You told you me I'd be sorry some old day
I found it to be true so I'm heading back to you
Sweetheart I'm tired and I want to settle down

When I get back to her my rambling days are over

We'll build a little cottage on the hill

We'll think of days gone by sweetheart just you and I

And there we'll live so happy ever more

Gotta Travel On

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

I've laid around and played around this old town too long

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

Summers almost gone, winters coming on

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

I've laid around and played around this old town too long

4 / 5 / 1 / 1

And I feel like I've gotta travel on

Poppa writes to Johnny but Johnny can't come home

Johnny can't come home, no, Johnny can't come home

Poppa writes to Johnny but Johnny can't come home

Cause he's been on the chain gang too long

High sheriff and police riding after me

Riding after me, yes, coming after me

High sheriff and police riding after me

And I feel like I've gotta travel on

Want to see my honey, want to see her bad

Want to see her bad, oh, want to see her bad

Want to see my honey, want to see her bad

She's the best gal this poor boy ever had

Goodbye Old Pal

Vers

1 / 1 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 2 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

4 / 1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Along about round-up time In Texas way out West

I lost a friend and a pal, boys I laid him down to rest

I weeped and moaned over his grave and to me boys it was sad

'Cause I knew down beneath that mound lay the best pal I ever had

Oh de lady a, de oh lady oh, de ladie

Refreng

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

My best pal was my old paint horse and now he's gone to rest

I laid him down beneath that mound in Texas away out West

Where the cactus blooms over his grave and the coyotes cry

I know he sleeps in perfect peace beneath the Texas sky

Dear old pal it breaks my heart to leave you here alone

Now I'll go and ride the range on the Texas roan

But my love for you old pal it shall linger on

I will always think of you although you're dead and gone

Helen

Vers

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Refreng

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

2 / 2 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Helen the night I met you
It seemed that my heart went your way
Love was the word that told the story
I wish you were here with me today

You told me that I need not worry
That you would always be mine
Helen my darling please tell me
A place in your heart I'll always find

Helen my darling I love you
I love you with all of my heart
Darling don't ever forsake me
Say that we never will part

The time we are wastin' my darling
Is making my heart ache with pain
But our lives are so far apart dear
I guess I'm just hoping in vain

High Lonesome Sound

Vers

1 / 4 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 4 / 1 / 1

b7 / 4 / 1 / 1

When ever my soul is lonely

When ever I'm feeling blue

I start thinkin' 'bout my blue-eyed darlin'

My heart starts pinin' for you

I wanna hear that high lonesome sound

'Cause my sweet baby ain't around

When my life's got me down

I wanna hear that high lonesome sound

Refreng

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

b7 / 4 / 1 / 1

When I'm lost in this ocean of darkness

Not knowing which way I should turn

And my eyes are filled with the sadness

Of knowing you'll never return

Highway Of Sorrow

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 1

I once had a darling wife kind, true and sweet
Life was so bright and gay everything complete
But I fell for another who led my life astray
So I'll live in sorrow till my dying day

Down the highway of sorrow I'm traveling alone
I've lost all my true friends I've lost a happy home
I'm heading for destruction I'm on the wrong track
Down the highway of sorrow there's no turning back

I went back to my darling I got down on my knees
I begged her with tear rimmed eyes to give my poor heart
ease
But she was hurt so deeply she could not forgive
So I'll live in sorrow as I long as I live

Honey You Don't Know My Mind

1 / 1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Honey you don't know my mind I'm lonesome all the time
Born to lose a drifter that's me
You can travel for so long then a rambler's heart goes wrong
Baby you don't know my mind today

Heard the music of a rail slept in every old dirty jail
And life's too short for you to worry me
When I find I can't win I'll be checking out again
Baby you don't know my mind today

I've been a hobo and a tramp my soul has done been
stamped
Lord things I know I learned the hard hard way
I ain't here to judge or plea but to give my poor heart ease
Baby you don't know my mind today

Honey you don't know my mind I'm lonesome all the time
Born to lose a drifter that's me
You say I'm sweet and kind I can love you a thousand times
Baby you don't know my mind today

Hold Whatcha Got

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Hold whatcha got, I'm a-coming home baby
Hold whatcha got, and I don't mean maybe
Been a-thinking about you and I'm on my way
Don't sell the house, and don't wreck the car
Stay there, honey, right where you are
Hold whatcha got, I'm a coming home to stay

Well... in my mind I can see you
That's a pretty good sign that I need you
That's why I can't wait to get back home
So squeeze yourself real good and tight
I'll be there before daylight
If you hold whatcha got, I'm a coming home to stay

Well... when I get back, honey, I ain't leaving
I been too long, a little too much grieving
When I get back this time I'm going to stay
Well we won't fuss and we won't fight
This time things is gonna be all right
If you hold whatcha got, I'm a-coming home to stay

How Mountain Girls Can Love

Vers

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Get down boys, go back home

Back to the girl you love

Treat her right, never wrong

How mountain girls can love

Riding the night in the high cold winds

On the trail of the old lonesome pine

Thinking of you, feeling so blue

Wondering why you left me behind

Refreng

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Remember the night we strolled down the lane

Our hearts were gay and happy then

You whispered to me as I held your close

You hoped this night would never end

I Ain't Broke (But I'm Badly Bent)

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

I'm going back to the country, I can't pay the rent

No I'm not completely broke, but brother I'm badly bent

Can't understand, where my money went

I aint broke, but I'm badly bent.

When I get back to the country, I'll be livin' in a tent.

Maw and Paw will surely be mad 'bout all the money I spent

Can't understand, just where it went

I aint broke, but I'm badly bent.

Well, I had a lot of money, but to the city I went

Met to many good lookin' girls and that's where my money
went

Now I know, just where it went

I aint broke, but I'm badly bent.

I'll Fly Away

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Some glad morning when this life is o'er

I'll fly away

To a home on God's celestial shore

I'll fly away

I'll fly away O glory

I'll fly away (in the morning)

When I die hallelujah by and by

I'll fly away

When the shadows of this life have grown

I'll fly away

Like a bird from prison bars has flown

I'll fly away

Just a few more weary days and then

I'll fly away

To a land where joys shall never end

I'll fly away

I'll Stay Around

Vers

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Refreng

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Now you just told me that you're leaving
On the next train coming down
I love you dear but I won't follow
I just think I'll stay around

For I know someday you'll want me
When your true love can't be found
But if you go dear I won't follow
I just think I'll stay around

You know my dear I'll always love you
And I'd never let you down
But if you go dear I won't follow
I just think I'll stay around

Someday you'll hear that whistle blowing
On the special coming down
You'll be looking for me baby
But I may not be around

I'm Blue, I'm Lonesome

Vers

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

The lonesome sigh of a train going by

Makes me want to stop and cry

I recall the day it took you away

I'm blue I'm lonesome too

Refreng

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

2 / 2 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

When I hear that whistle blow

I want to pack my suitcase and go

The lonesome sound of a train going by

Makes me want to stop and cry

In the still of the night in the pale moonlight

The wind, it moans and cry

These lonesome blues I just can't lose

I'm blue I'm lonesome too

I'm On My Way Back To The Old Home

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Back in the days of my childhood
In the evening when everything was still
I used to sit and listen to the foxhounds
With my dad in the old Kentucky hills

I'm on my way back to the old home
The road winds on up the hill
But there's no light in the window
That shined long ago where I live

Soon my childhood days were over
I had to leave my old home
For dad and mother were called to heaven
I's left in this world all alone

High in the hills of old Kentucky
Stands the fondest spot in my memory
I'm on my way back to the old home
The light in the window I long to see

In The Gravel Yard

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

In the gravel yard, with a number for my name

Making little rocks out of big rocks all day

Oh, the work is mighty hard in the gravel yard

I'll never be a free man, so they say

Warden hear my plea, listen now to me

I killed a man that I caught with my wife

You'd probably done the same, so I am not to blame

Sentenced to the rest of my life

In the driven rain with a ball and chain

My hammer rings a low mournful sound

It sings a little song for the ones who done me wrong

Who lie beneath the cold, cold ground

I've Waited As Long As I Can

Vers

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

I've waited for you and I've always been true
But this waiting no longer I can stand
I know you've had time dear to make up your mind
I've waited as long as I can

I'm waiting to hear you say you love me
And long for the day you take my hand

I asked again last night for your love so divine
I've waited as long as I can

Refreng

1 / 1-4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Done all I can do said all I can say
Oh why can't I make you understand
I wanted you for mine but I'm wasting my time
I've waited as long as I can

Now I'll just say goodbye the tears fall from my eyes
For you have made it plain that I can't win
No one will ever know the pain that I've been through
I've waited as long as I can

I Wonder Where You Are Tonight

Vers

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Tonight I'm sad my heart is weary
Wondering if I'm wrong or right
To think about you though you left me
I wonder where you are tonight

Refreng

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

The rain is cold and slowly falling
Upon my window pane tonight
And though your love seems even colder
I wonder where you are tonight

Your heart was cold you never loved me
Though you often said you cared
And now you've gone to find another
Someone who knows the love I shared

Then came the dawn the day you left me
I tried to smile with all my might
But you could see the pain within me
That lingers in my heart tonight

Just When I Needed You

Vers

1 / 1 / 1 / 4

4 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 1 / 4

4 / 1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Just when I needed you you left and went away
You made my life so blue both night and day
You left me here behind with a troubled worried mind
So broken hearted too just when I needed you

I cried I cried I prayed I tried

To forget you and never call your name

What a shame what a shame you're the one that was to blame

You're the one that proved untrue just when I needed you

Refreng

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

4 / 1 / 5 / 1 / 1

You said it's best to part and never love again
And though it broke my heart I won't complain
You know I love you still and dear I always will
Although you proved untrue just when I needed you

Kentucky Waltz

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

5 / 5 / 5 / 5

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1⁷ / 4 / 4

4 / 4 / 1 / 6

2 / 5 / 1 / 1

We were waltzing that night in Kentucky
'Neath the beautiful harvest moon
And I was the boy who was lucky
But it all ended too soon

As I sit here alone in the moonlight
I can see your smiling face
And I long once more for your embrace
In that beautiful Kentucky waltz

Little Bessie

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Hold me close dear mother, closer
Put your arms around me tight
For I'm cold and tired dear mother
And I feel so strange tonight

Something hurts me here, dear mother
Like a stone upon my breast
And I wonder, wonder mother
Why it is I cannot rest

All the day while you were working
As I lay upon my bed
I was trying to be remember
And to think of what you said

Just before the lamps were lighted
Just before the children came
While the room was still and quiet
I heard someone call my name

Come up here little Bessie
Come up here and live with me
My little children never suffer
In the long eternity

At the solemn hour of midnight
In the dark and lonesome deep
Lying on her mother's bosom
Little Bessie fell asleep

Far up yonder at the portals
That are shining bright and clear
Little Bessie now is tended
By her Saviour's loving care

Little Cabin Home On The Hill

Vers

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Refreng

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Tonight I'm alone without you my dear

It seems there's a longing for you still

All I have to do is sit alone and cry

In our little cabin home on the hill

Oh, someone has taken you from me

And left me here all alone

Listen to the rain upon the window pane

In our little cabin home on the hill

I hope you are happy tonight as you are

But in my heart there's a-longing for you still

I just keep it there so I won't be alone

In our little cabin home on the hill

Now when you have come to the end of the day

And find there's no more happiness for you

Just let your thoughts turn back once more if you will

To our little cabin home on the hill

Little Georgia Rose

Vers

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1-5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

Refreng

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Now come and listen to my story

A story that I know is true

About a rose that bloomed in Georgia

With hair of gold and a heart so true

Way down in the blue ridge mountains

Way down where the tall pines grow

Lives my sweetheart of the mountains

She's my little Georgia rose

Her mother left her with another

A carefree life she had planned

The baby now she is a lady

The one her mother couldn't stand

We often sing love songs together

I watched her do her little part

She smiled at me and I would tell her

That she was my sweetheart

Little Maggie

1 / 1 / b7 / b7

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / b7 / b7

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Oh yonder stands little Maggie
With a dram glass in her hands
She's drinking away her troubles
She's a courting some other man

Oh how can I ever stand it
Just to see them two blue eyes
A shining in the moonlight
Like two diamonds in the sky

Last time a saw little Maggie
She was sitting on the banks of the sea
With a forty-four around her
And a banjo on her knee

Lay down your last gold dollar
Lay down your gold watch and chain
Little Maggie's gonna dance for daddy
Listen to that old banjo ring

Pretty flowers were made for blooming
Pretty stars were made to shine
Pretty women were made for loving
Little Maggie was made for mine

Lonesome Pine

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

4 / 5 / 1 / 1

2m / 2m / 3m / 3m

4 / 5 / 1 / 1

There's a path back in the mountains
To that one room house, where I was born
Even now the memories linger
My mama's smile so soft and warm

Lonesome pine I can hear you calling
Calling me back to my home
Where the fox and hound through the hills are roaming
Lonesome pine calling me home

It's been so long since I left that cabin
In search of wealth fortune and fame
Late at night when I'm alone and lonely
I still hear my daddy call my name

Someday soon I'm gonna travel
Back to the land that I love best
In the stillness of the mountains
I will find sweet peace and rest

Long Gone

1 / 1 / 1 / 1
4 / 4 / 1 / 1
1 / 1 / 1 / 1
5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Long gone is how I'm leaving
Long gone, why do you cry
This is what you wanted baby
So I'm gone, long gone

I have tried to make you happy
Still you say I've done you wrong
This is it, im through forever
So I'm gone, long gone

Please don't try to overtake me
What I ride will be too fast
This is it, we're through forever
I'm gone, long gone

Please don't shed no tears at parting
For your tears will not atone
After all the pain you cause me
I'm gone, long gone

Long Journey Home (Two Dollar Bill)

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

Lost all my money but a two dollar bill

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

Two dollar bill boys, two dollar bill

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

Lost all my money but a two dollar bill

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

I'm on my long journey home

Cloudy in the West and it looks like rain

Looks like rain, boys, looks like rain

Cloudy in the West and it looks like rain

I'm on my long journey home

It's dark and a raining and I want to go home

Want to go home, boys, want to go home

Its dark and a raining and I want to go home

I'm on my long journey home

Homesick and lonesome and I'm feeling kind of blue

Feeling kind of blue, boys, feeling kind of blue

Homesick and lonesome and I'm feeling kind of blue

I'm on my long journey home

There's black smoke a rising and it surely is a train

Surely is a train boys, surely is a train

There's black smoke a rising and it surely is a train

I'm on my long journey home

Love Please Come Home

1 / 1 / 1 / b7

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

As you read this letter that I write to you

Sweetheart I hope you understand

That you're the only love I knew

Please forgive me if you can

Sweetheart I beg you to come home tonight

I'm so blue and all alone

I promise that I'll treat you right

Love, oh love oh please come home

That old wind is cold and slowly creeping 'round

And the fire is burning low

The snow has covered up the ground

Your baby's hungry sick and cold

Man Of Constant Sorrow

Vers

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

I am a man of constant sorrow
I've seen trouble all my days
I bid farewell to old Kentucky
The place where I was born and raised

For six long years I've been in trouble
No pleasure here on earth I find
For in this world I'm bound to ramble
I have no friends to help me now

It's fare thee well my own true lover
I never expect to see you again
For I'm bound to ride that Northern railroad
Perhaps I'll die upon this train

You can bury me in some deep valley
For many years where I may lay
Then you may learn to love another
While I am sleeping in my grave

It's fare you well to a native country
The places I have loved so well
For I have seen all kinds of trouble
In this cruel world no tongue can tell

Maybe your friends think I'm a stranger
My face your'll never see no more
But there is one promise that is given
I'll meet you on God's golden shore

Millers Cave

1 / 1-5 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 6m

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Way down in the state of Georgia
Through the swamps and everglades
There's a hole in Tiger Mountain
God help the man who gets lost in Miller's Cave

I had a girl in Waycross Georgia
But she had unfaithful ways
She made me feel I was unwanted
Like the bats and the bears in Miller's Cave

I couldn't stand the way she did me
I could take her lowdown ways
Before I stay with a cheatin' woman
I'll go live with the bears in Miller's Cave

I caught her out one Sunday morning
With a man they call Big Dave
The meanest man in Waycross Georgia
I'd rather fight a mountain lion in Miller's Cave

I said you'll pay both you and Davey
I'm gonna see you in your grave
They laughed at me and then I shot them
I took their cheating scheming bones to Miller's Cave

That woman made me feel unwanted
But I showed her I was brave
The most wanted man in the state of Georgia
But they'll never find me 'cause I'm lost in Miller's Cave

Model Church

Vers

1 / 1-4 / 1 / 1

1(½ takt) / 4 / 4

1 / 1-4 / 1 / 1

5(½ takt) / 1 / 1

Refreng

1 / 1-4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1-4 / 1 / 1

5(½ takt) / 1 / 1

Dear wife I found a model church
And worshipped there today
It made me think of the good old times
Before my hair was gray

The meetinghouse was finer built
Than they were years ago
But I found out when I went in
It was not built for show

The sexton did not sit me down
Away back by the door
He knew that I was old and deaf
And saw that I was poor

He must have been a Christian man
He led me boldly through
The long aisle of that crowded church
To find a pleasant pew

I wish you'd heard the singing, wife
It had the old town ring
The preacher said with trumpet voice
Let all the people sing

Oh Coronation was the tune
The music upward roared
I thought I heard the angel choir
Strike on their harps of gold

I tell you wife it did me good
To sing those hymns once more
I felt just like some wrecked marine
Who gets a glimpse of shore

It made want to lay aside
This weather beaten form
And anchor in that blessed port
Forever from the storm

Dear wife the toil will soon be o'er
The victory soon be won
The shining strand is just ahead
Our race is nearly run

We're near to Canaan's happy shore
Our hopes are bright and fair
Thank God we'll never sin again
There'll be no sorrow there

There'll be no sorrow there
In heaven above
Where all is love
There'll be no sorrow there

Molly and Tenbrooks

1 / 1 / 1 / 4

4 / 1 / 5 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 1

Run oh Molly run, run oh Molly run
Ten-Brooks gonna beat you to the bright and shining sun
To the bright and shining sun oh Lord
To the bright and shining sun

Ten-Brooks was a big bay horse, he wore a shaggy mane
He run all 'round Memphis, and he beat the Memphis train
Beat the Memphis train oh Lord
Beat the Memphis train

Ten-Brooks said to Molly, what makes your head so red
Running in the hot sun with a fever in my head
Fever in my head oh Lord
Fever in my head

Molly said to Ten-Brooks you're looking mighty squirrel
Ten-Brooks said to Molly I'm leaving this old world
Leaving this old world oh Lord
Leaving this old world

Out in California where Molly done as she pleased
She come back to old Kentucky, got beat with all ease
Beat with all ease oh Lord
Beat with all ease

The women's all a-laughing, the children all a-crying
Men all a-hollering old Ten-Brooks a- flying
Old Ten-Brooks a- flying oh Lord
Old Ten-Brooks a- flying

Kiper, Kiper, you're not riding right
Molly's a beating old Ten-Brooks clear out of sight
Clear out of sigh oh Lord
Clear out of sight

Kiper, Kiper, Kiper my son
Give old Ten-Brooks the bridle and let old Ten-Brooks run
Let old Ten-Brooks run oh Lord
Let old Ten-Brooks run

Go and catch old Ten-Brooks and hitch him in the shade
We're gonna bury old Molly in a coffin ready made
In a coffin ready made oh Lord
In a coffin ready made

More Pretty Girls Than One

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

There's more pretty girls than one

More pretty girls than one

Any old town that I ramble all around

There's more pretty girls than one

Now mama talked to me last night

She gave to me some good advice

Said son you ought to quit that rambling all around

And marry you a sweet loving wife

Now look down that long lonesome road

Hang down your head and cry

I'm thinking all about them pretty little gals

And hoping that I'll never die

Mountain Dew

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Down the road here from me there's a big hollow tree
Where you lay down a dollar or two
You stroll 'round the bend and you come back again
There's a jug full of good old mountain dew

They call it that mountain dew
And them that refuse it are few
I'll hush up my mug if you fill up my jug
With that good old mountain dew

My uncle Mort, he's sawed off and short
He measures about four foot two
But he thinks he's a giant when you give him a pint
Of that good old mountain dew

Well, my old aunt June bought some brand new perfume
If had such a sweet smelling pew
But to her surprise when she had it analyzed
It was nothing but good old mountain dew

Well, my brother Bill's got a still on the hill
Where he runs off a gallon or two
The buzzards in the sky get so drunk they can't fly
From smelling that good old mountain dew

New River Train

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

I'm riding on that New River train

Riding on that New River train

Same old train that brought me here

Gonna take me away again

Darling, you can't love one

Darling, you can't love one

You can't love one and have any fun

Darling, you can't love one

Darling, you can't love two...

You can't love two and still be true...

Darling, you can't love three...

You can't love three and still love me...

Darling, you can't love four...

You can't love four and love any more...

Darling, you can't love five...

You can't love five and get honey from my hive...

Darling, you can't love six...

You can't love six for that kind of love don't mix...

Nine Pound Hammer

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

This nine-pound hammer is just a little too heavy
Buddy, for my size, buddy, for my size

Roll on buddy, don't you roll so slow
How can I roll when the wheels won't go

Ain't nobody's hammer in this mountain
That rings like mine, that rings like mine

I went upon the mountain just to see my honey
And I ain't lookin' back, Lord, I ain't lookin' back

It's a long way to Harlan, it's a long way to Hazard
Just to get a little booze, just to get a little booze

Old Home Place

Vers

1 / 3⁷ / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 3⁷ / 4 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Refreng

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

2 / 2 / 5 / 5

1 / 3⁷ / 4 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

It's been ten long years since I left my home
In the hollow where I was born
Where the cool fall nights make the wood smoke rise
And the foxhunter blows his horn

I fell in love with a girl from the town
I thought that she would be true
I ran away to Charlottesville
And worked in a sawmill or two

What have they done to the old home place
Why did they tear it down
And why did I leave the plow in the field
And look for a job in the town

Well my girl she ran off with somebody else
The taverns took all my pay
And here I stand where the old home stood
Before they took it away

Now the geese they fly south and the cold wind blows
As I stand here and hang my head
I've lost my love I've lost my home
And now I wish that I was dead

Old Home Town

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 1 / 1

To night my heart is lonely for the folks back home
Where I left my mother and daddy all alone
There's been a lot of changes since I been around
I'd like to wander back to the old home town

You'll never miss the home folks until you've gone away
Then you'll need a friend to help you every day
Then you'll call on mother but she won't be around
I'd like to wander back to the old home town

I've searched this whole world over since I've been around
I've never found a place just like the old home town
If I could live life over I'd never roam around
I'd like to wander back to the old home day

Old Train

Vers

1 / b7 / 4 / 5

4 / 5 / 1 / 5

1 / b7 / 4 / 5

4 / 5 / 1 / 1

Refreng

4 / 5 / 4 / 1

5 / 2 / 5 / 5

4 / 5 / 4 / 1

1 / 5 / 5 / 5

4 / 4 / 4 / 4

Old train I can hear your whistle blow

And I won't be jumpin' on again

Old train I've been everywhere you go

And I know what lies beyond each bend

Old train each time you pass you're older than the last

And it seems that I'm too old for runnin'

I hear your rusty wheels, they grate against the rails

They cry with every mile

I think I'll stay awhile

Old train I grow weary at the miles

And I miss the freedom that was mine

Old train just to think about those times

I'll smile when you're high-ballin' by

One Tear

Vers

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Refreng

1 / 1 / 6m / 6m

1 / 1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

One tear won't make a heart break

One tear won't make a heart ache

If the tear I shed today is all I'll have to pay

One tear is all I've cried for you.

I thought I'd never live without the tender love we shared

But absence only showed my heart I'll never really care

I'm glad that it's all over now I'm glad that we are through

One tear is all I've cried for you.

I'll live a happy life again and have my dreams come true

My heart will bounce right back again and never think of
you

Then when you'll come asking me to take you back again

One tear is all I'll cry for you.

Paradise

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 1

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 1

When I was a child my family would travel
Down to Western Kentucky where my parents were born
And there's a backwards old town that's often remembered
So many times that my memories are worn.

And daddy won't you take me back to Muhlenberg County
Down by the Green River where Paradise lay
Well I'm sorry my son but you're too late in asking
Mister Peabody's coal train has hauled it away

Well sometimes we'd travel right down the Green River
To the abandoned old prison down by Adrie Hill
Where the air smelled like snakes and we'd shoot with our
pistols
But empty pop bottles was all we would kill.

Then the coal company came with the world's largest shovel
And they tortured the timber and stripped all the land
Well they dug for their coal till the land was forsaken
Then they wrote it all down as the progress of man.

When I die let my ashes float down the Green River
Let my soul roll on up to the Rochester dam
I'll be halfway to Heaven with Paradise waiting
Just five miles away from wherever I am.

Pathway Of Teardrops

1 / 3 / 4 / 2m

1 / 5 / 1 / 5

1 / 3 / 4 / 2m

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

2 / 2 / 5 / 5

1 / 3 / 4 / 2m

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

4 / b6 / 1 / 6m

2 / 2 / 5 / 5

1 / 3 / 4 / 2m

1 / 5 / 4 / 5 / 1

The pathway of teardrops will show you the way
If you ever wanna come back to me
You know dear that I cried both night and day
Since you told me you'd never be free.

I love you so still I let you go
Now I'm sending this message to you
The pathway of teardrops will show you the way
If you ever wanna come back to me.

[Solo]

I love you so still I let you go
Now I'm sending this message to you
The pathway of teardrops will show you the way
If you ever wanna come back to me.

Pig In A Pen

1 / 1 / 1 / 4

I got a pig at home in a pen corn to feed 'im on

1 / 1 / 5 / 1

All I need is a pretty little girl to feed 'im when I'm gone.

Goin' on the mountain to sow a little cane

Raise a barrel of Sorghum sweet lil' Liza Jane.

Black cloud's a-risin' surest sign of rain

Get the old grey bonnet on Little Liza Jane.

Yonder comes that gal of mine how you think I know

Can tell by that Gingham gown hangin' down so low.

Bake them biscuits baby bake 'em good n' brown

When you get them biscuits baked we're Alabamy bound.

When she sees me comin' she wrings her hands and cries

Yonder comes the sweetest boy that ever lived or died.

Now when she sees me leavin' she wrings her hands and cries

Yonder goes the meanest boy that ever lived or died.

Rain Please Go Away

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Rain please go away!

Leave me alone, come another day

My love is gone, this time to stay

Rain, please go away

It's tough to live the whole day through

Thinkin' of her is all I do!

She's happy now, and I'm so blue

Rain, she's cold like you

If only the time wouldn't drag so slow

Find a new love and let it grow

I'm kiddin' myself, it don't happen that way

Rain, please go away

Rain please go away!

Leave me alone, come another day

My love is gone, this time to stay

Rain, please go away

Rocky Road Blues

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Well, the road is rocky but it won't be rocky long

The road is rocky but it won't be rocky long

Another man done took my woman and gone

Well I got these blues and I'm wearin' out the soles in my shoes

I got these blues and I'm wearin' out the soles in my shoes

I ain't got no way to relieve these low-down blues

Well, I wish to the lord they'd bring my woman back home

I wish to the Lord they'd bring my woman back home

I don't mind bein' lonesome just don't want to be alone

Well, you never miss your water till the well runs dry

You never miss your water till the well runs dry

You never miss your woman until she says good-bye

Rocky Top

Vers

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

6m / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

6m / 5 / 1 / 1

Refreng

6m / 6m / 5 / 5

b7 / b7 / 4 / 4

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / b7 / 1 / 1

1 / b7 / 1 / 1

I wish that I was on old Rocky Top
Down in the Tennessee hills
Ain't no smoggy smoke on Rocky Top
Ain't no telephone bills

Once I had a girl on Rocky Top
Half bear the other half cat
Wild as a mink but sweet as soda pop
I still dream about that

Rocky Top you'll always be
Home sweet home to me
Good old Rocky Top
Rocky Top Tennessee
Rocky Top Tennessee

Once two strangers climbed old Rocky Top
Looking for a moonshine still
Strangers ain't come down from Rocky Top
Reckon they never will

Corn won't grow at all on Rocky Top
Dirt's too rocky by far
That's why all the folks on Rocky Top
Get their corn from a jar

I've had years of cramped up city life
Trapped like a duck in a pen
All I know is it's a pity life
Can't be simple again

Roll In My Sweet Baby's Arms

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1⁷ / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Roll in my sweet baby's arms

Roll in my sweet baby's arms

Lay around the shack 'til the mail comes back

And I'll roll in my sweet baby's arms

I ain't gonna work on the railroad

I ain't gonna work on the farm

Lay down the shack 'til the mail train comes back

And I'll roll in my sweet baby's arms

Now where were you last Friday night

While I was lying in jail

Walking the streets with another man

Wouldn't even go my bail

I know you parents don't like me

They drove me away from your door

If I had my life to live over

I'd never go there any more

Salty Dog Blues

1 / 6⁷ / 2⁷ / 2⁷

5⁷ / 5⁷ / 1 / 1

Standing on the corner with the lowdown blues

A great big hole in the bottom of my shoes

Honey let me be your salty dog

Let me be your salty dog

Or I won't be your man at all

Honey let me be your salty dog

Look it here Sal, I know you

Run down stocking and a worn out shoe

Honey let me be your salty dog

Down in the wildwood sitting on a log

Finger on the trigger and an eye on the hog

Honey let me be your salty dog

Pulled the trigger and the gun set go

The shot fell over in Mexico

Honey let me be your salty dog

Say Won't You Be Mine

1 / 1 / 1 / 1
4 / 4 / 1 / 1
1 / 1 / 1 / 1
4 / 5 / 1 / 1

Can't you hear the nightbirds crying
Can't you hear that lonesome dove
Sayin' won't you come back darling
To the only one you love

Meet me out on the mountain
Underneath the lonesome pine
Where we vowed we'd love each other
Darlin' say won't you be mine

Where the mountain laurels blooming
And the wildwood blossom grow
There we vowed to love each other
In our childhood long ago

Then I left my little darling
Lord I've rambled for too long
Many times I prayed to see her
Now I'm on my way back home

Sittin' On Top Of The World

Vers

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

It was in the spring one sunny day
My good gal left me, lord, she went away

And now she's gone and I don't worry
'Cause I'm sittin' on top of the world

Refreng

1 / 1 / 1 / 6m

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

She called me up from down in El Paso
Said, "come back daddy, lord I need you so"

Ashes to ashes, dust to dust
Show me a woman that a man can trust

Mississippi River, long, deep and wide
The woman I'm lovin' is on the other side

You don't like my peaches, don't you shake my tree
Get out of my orchard, let my peaches be

Don't you come here runnin', pokin' out your hand
I'll get me a woman like you got your man

Somehow Tonight

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Somehow tonight I feel lonely my darling

Somehow tonight I feel blue

Somehow tonight these tears of mine keep falling

Come back sweetheart and be true

I thought your love was something I could treasure

To brighten my pathway through the years

Now all I can see is darkness in the future

That's why I long to have you near

I never knew what loneliness meant darling

Until I watched you walk away

I long to hear you whisper that you love me

I can't forget our happy days

Some Old Day

Vers

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 2⁷ / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 2⁷-5 / 1 / 1

I've been working out in the rain tied to this
dirty old ball and chain
Oh dear mother I'll come home some old day
Some sweet day they'll turn me loose from this
dirty old calaboose
Oh dear mother I'll come home some old day

Refreng

4 / 4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 2⁷ / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 2⁷-5 / 1 / 1

Some old day . . . You'll wait for me and pray
Oh dear mother I'll be home some old day
Some sweet day they'll turn me loose from this
dirty old calaboose
Oh dear mother I'll come home some old day

Oh mother I've hurt you so and I've been
cruel to you I know
Oh dear mother I'll come home some old day
Tell my brothers and sister that they're the
best friends that I've had
Oh dear mother I'll come home some old day

Sophonie

Vers

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Refreng

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

My Sophronie's from Kentucky, she's found another man
Can't even kiss her, can't even hold her hand
The moon we used to love beneath is still up in the sky
But now I'm just a hotshot with a teardrop in my eye

Love em and leave em, kiss em and grieve em
That used to be my motto so high
Till my Sophronie left me so lonely
Now there's teardrops in my eyes

Till Gabriel blows his bugle, I'll be loving that sweet girl
She means more to me than the whole wide world
I used to be a killer with the women me oh my
But now I'm just a hot shot with a teardrop in my eye

Sunny Side Of The Mountain

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 5 / 5

5 / 1 / 1

Don't forget me little darling while I'm growing old and gray
Just a little thought before I'm going far away
I'll be waiting on the hillside where the wild red roses grow
On the sunny side of the mountain where the rippling waters flow

Don't forget about those days we courted many years ago
Don't forget those promises you made me and so
Its been so long dear since I've seen you but my love still lingers on
Don't forget me little darling though our love is past and gone

Tell me in your letter do you ever think of me
Please answer little darling tell me where you can be
I'll be waiting on the hillside on the day that you will call
On the sunny side of the mountain where the rippling waters fall

Swing That Hammer

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

4 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

4 / 5 / 1 / 1

Swing that hammer, break that rock, Lord, that ol' sun is hot
And the shackles that I wear fit too tight
I ain't see nobody smile out on this ol' rock pile
And they'll knock you down if you don't do it right

Now hard times go so slow, and I've got ten to go
I'm a number now, I don't have a name
But there ain't no need to whine, This ball and chain is mine
There ain't no way to stop this burnin' pain

At night old memories show, Cold steel is so cold
It's lonesome time when they turn out the light
These walls are grim and gray, Tomorrow's another day
To swing my hammer down with all my might

Tennessee Waltz

1 / 1 / 1 / 4

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 1 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

I was dancing with my darling to the Tennessee Waltz

When an old friend I happened to see

I Introduced her to my loved one and while they were
dancing

My friend stole my sweetheart from me

1 / 3⁷ / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 1 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

I remember the night and the Tennessee Waltz

Now I know just how much I have lost

Yes, I lost my little darling on the night they were playing

The beautiful Tennessee Waltz

There Is A Time

Vers

1m / 1m / 1m / 1m

b3 / b3 / 1m / 1m

b3 / b3 / 1m / 1m

b6 / b7 / 1m / 1m

There is a time for love and laughter

The days will pass like summer storms

The winter wind will follow after

But there is love and love is warm

There is a time for us to wander

When time is young and so are we

The woods are greener over yonder

The path is new the world is free

There is a time when leaves are fallin'

The woods are gray the paths are old

The snow will come when geese are callin'

You need a fire against the cold

So do your roaming in the springtime

And you'll find your love in the summer sun

The frost will come and bring the harvest

And you can sleep when day is done

Think Of What You Done

Vers

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Refreng

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Is it true that I've lost you

Am I not the only one

After all this pain and sorrow

Darling think of what you've done

Heart to heart dear how I need you

Like the flowers need the dew

Loving you has been my life, dear

I can't believe we're really through

I'll go back to old Virginia

Where the mountains meet the sky

In those hills I learned to love you

Let me stay there till I die

This Morning At Nine

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 5 / 1

I awoke this morning from a lovely dream
And looked about this lonely room of mine
Somewhere in the distance to me it seemed
Church bells were ringing this morning at nine

Bitter tears I'm shedding all because of you
I'm like a lonely prisoner serving his time
Thinking of the day the days when love was true
But you'll wed another this morning at nine

My poor broken heart it started to cry
As I realized you never could be mine
Just then I remembered what day it really was
That you wed another this morning at nine

Toy Heart

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Darlin' you toyed with a toy heart

I think I played the game right from the start

This toy heart was broken when parting words were spoken

Darlin' you toyed with a toy heart

You played with my poor heart like a toy

That toy broke and then we had to part

It never can be mended, I hope this romance ended

Darlin' you toyed with a toy heart

Now darlin' my time will come someday

Time alone will heart my broken heart

The clouds will roll away and the sun will shine someday

Darlin' you toyed with a toy heart

Now darlin' you know you done me wrong

Your love for me has passed and gone

I'll find somebody new, I hope that they'll be true

Darlin' you toyed with a toy heart

Uncle Pen

Vers

1 / 1 / 1 / 5-1

1 / 1 / 1 / 5-1

Oh the people would come from far away
They'd dance all night till the break of day
When the caller hollered "do-se-do"
You knew Uncle Pen was ready to go

Refreng

4 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

Late in the evening about sundown
High on the hill and above the town
Uncle Pen played the fiddle lord how it would ring
You could hear it talk, you could hear it sing

He played an old piece he called "Soldier's Joy"
And the one called "The Boston Boy"
The greatest of all was "Jenny Lynn"
To me that's where the fiddle begins

I'll never forget that mournful day
When Uncle Pen was called away
They hung up his fiddle, they hung up his bow
They knew it was time for him to go

Walking Shoes

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1⁷ / 4 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

My walking shoes don't fit me anymore

My walking shoes don't fit me anymore

Stay on your side of town, honey, I won't be around

My walking shoes don't fit me anymore

It's long way from here to over yonder

My feet they're getting mighty sore

I ain't coming back you've made your mind to wander

My walking shoes don't fit me anymore

I'll be a longtime gone from you baby

You'll never here me knock upon your door

I thought you were worth it once but I was crazy

My walking shoes don't fit me anymore

Wayfaring Stranger

Vers

1m / 1m / 1m / 1m

4m / 4m / 1m / 1m

1m / 1m / 1m / 1m

4m / 4m / 1m / 1m

Refreng

6 / 6 / 3 / 3

6 / 3 / 5 / 5

1m / 1m / 1m / 1m

4m / 4m / 1m / 1m

I am a poor wayfaring stranger

While traveling through this world of woe

Yet there's no sickness, toil or danger

In that bright world to which I go

I'm going there to see my father

I'm going there no more to roam

I'm only going over Jordan

I'm only going over home

I know dark clouds will gather 'round me

I know my way is rough and steep

Yet beauteous fields lie just before me

Where God's redeemed their vigils keep

I'm going there to see my mother

She said she'd meet me when I come

I'm only going over Jordan

I'm only going over home

We Live in Two Different Worlds Dear

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

We live in two different worlds, dear
That's why we're so far apart
You made your world out of vows that are broken
I built a world in my heart

Everyone here tried to warn me
You were just playing a game
I told them all we were meant for each other
I thought our worlds were the same

If you stay over in your world
Oh, how my poor heart will pine
Darling, someday when your memories wander
Won't you come over in mine

We live in two different worlds, dear
My world is honest and true
Sweetheart, remember when your world gets lonesome
I'll still be waiting for you

Where The Wild River Rolls

Vers

1 / b3 / b7 / 1

1 / b3 / 5 / 5

1 / b3 / b7 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Refreng

b3 / b7 / 1 / 1

b3 / b7 / 5 / 5

1 / b3 / b7 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Where can I find some peace for my mind

I feel that my heart has grown cold

You left me alone this wide world to roam

So I'm bound where the wild river rolls

I'm bound where the wild river rolls

I'm bound where the tall pine trees grow

The cost of your love has taken its toll

So I'm bound where the wild river rolls

Five long years I have waited in vain

Hoping for you to come home

I told you that I couldn't live without your love

So I'm bound where the wild river rolls

Whose Shoulder Will You Cry On

Vers

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Refreng

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Once you were my life and breath
Then you rode your free horse to death
Oh, you trifled around too much
Then you lost your loving touch
Now whose shoulder will you cry on

You didn't love me all along
'Cause you can't love and do me wrong
I don't trust you anymore
So go knock on another's door
And whose shoulder will you cry on

Just let those hot tears burn your eyes
They're just payments on the lies
That made a wreck of me
From that chain I've been set free
Now whose shoulder will you cry on

Why You Been Gone So Long

Vers

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 1

Refreng

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 1

Well every time it rains Lord I run to my window
All I do is ring my hands and mourn
Well listen to that thunder roar
Can't you hear that lonesome wind moan
Tell me baby now why you been gone so long

Tell me baby now why you been gone so long
You been gone so long now

Tell me baby now why you been gone so long
Wolfs scratchin at my door lord Lord
I can hear that lonesome wind blow
Tell me baby now why you been gone so long

Well someone said they thought they saw you
rollin down in Reno
With a big ol man from San Antone
They tell me I'm a fool to pine for you oh what do
they know
Tell me baby now why you been gone so long

Ain't nothin I want to do lord
So I guess I could get stoned
And let the past paint pictures in my head
Drink a fifth of thunderbird and try to write a sad
sad song
Tell my baby now why you been gone so long

Wild Bill Jones

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

As I went down for to take a little walk
I came upon that Wild Bill Jones
He was a walking and a talking by my true lover's side
And I bid him to leave her alone

He said my age is twenty-one
Too old to be controlled
I pulled my revolver from my side
And I destroyed that poor boy's soul

He reeled and he staggered, and he fell to the ground
And then he gave one dying moan
He wrapped his arms around my little girl's neck
Saying honey won't you take me home

So put them handcuffs on me boys
And lead me to that freight car gate
I have no friends or relations there
No-one for to go my bail

So pass around that old long necked bottle
And we'll all go on a spree
For today was the last of that Wild Bill Jones
And tomorrow will be the last of me

They sent me to prison for twenty long years
This poor boy longs to be free
But Wild Bill Jones and that long-necked bottle
Have been the ruin of me

Will The Circle Be Unbroken

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 6m

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

I was standing by the window
On a cold and cloudy day
When I saw the hearse come rolling
To carry my mother away

Will the circle be unbroken
Bye and bye Lord bye and bye
There's a better home a waiting
In the sky Lord in the sky

I said to the undertaker
Undertaker please drive slow
For that body you are carrying
Lord I hate to see her go

Well I followed close behind her
Tried to hold up and be brave
But I could not hide my sorrow
When they laid her in that grave

I went back home Lord that home was lonesome
Since my mother, she was gone
All my brothers and sisters crying
What a home so sad and alone

Will The Roses Bloom

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Will the roses bloom where she lies sleeping

Will the flowers shed their pedals there

Will the dewdrops fall upon the roses

Where my darling sleeps beneath the sand

Her lips were like a bunch of roses

Her eyes were like the starlit sky

Her hair was dark and it was curly

I'll miss her till the day I die

I miss my darling she is sleeping

Underneath the beautiful sky

I miss her now since she has left me

I will miss her til the day I die

Will You Be Satisfied That Way

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

We've been together for so long
It hurts to know your love is gone
Here's all my lonely heart can say
Will you be satisfied that way

Will you be satisfied to roam
Will memories fade when you are gone
A new love led your heart astray
Will you be satisfied that way

It's hard to stay when love is cold
So often that this story told
I'm not asking that you pity me
Will you be satisfied that way

Will you be satisfied to know
You left a heart that's beating low
Somehow somewhere you'll have to pay
Will you be satisfied that way

Deep down inside I love you yet
I've suffered but there's no regret
Love can't be bought it must be free
Will you be satisfied that way

Worried Man Blues

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

It takes a worried man to sing a worried song

It takes a worried man to sing a worried song

It takes a worried man to sing a worried song

I'm worried now but I won't be worried long

I went across the river and I laid down to sleep

I went across the river and I laid down to sleep

I went across the river and I laid down to sleep

When I woke up, there were shackles on my feet

Twenty one links of chain around my leg

Twenty one links of chain around my leg

Twenty one links of chain around my leg

And on each link, the initials of my name

I asked the judge what's gonna be my fine

I asked the judge what's gonna be my fine

I asked the judge what's gonna be my fine

Twenty one years on the Rocky Mountain Line

If anyone should ask you who composed this song

If anyone should ask you who composed this song

If anyone should ask you who composed this song

Say it was me and I sing it all day long

Your Love Is Like A Flower

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

It was long, long ago in the moonlight
We were sitting on the banks of the stream
When you whispered so sweetly, I love you
As the waters murmured a tune

Oh they tell me your love is like a flower
In the springtime blossoms so fair
In the fall then they wither away dear
And they tell me that's the way of your love

I remember the night, little darling
We were talking of days gone by
When you told me you always would love me
That for me your love would never die

It was spring when you whispered these words dear
The flowers were all blooming so fair
But today as the snow falls around us
I can see that your love is not there

Your The One

1 / 3m / 4 / 4

You're the one; you're the one that made me cry.

2m / 5 / 1 / 5

Oh you're the one that laughed at me and said goodbye.

1 / 3m / 4 / 4

Oh you're the one; you're the one that made me blue.

2m / 5 / 1 / 1

So how's it feel now that you're the one it's happened to?

Now you're back holding me with open arms.

What happened to the one you met with all that charm?

You Say she's gone, you're all alone, well that's a shame.

But if you think real hard I think you'll see just who's to blame.

You're beggin' me to think about the love we shared

Yet it seems to me that not too long ago you didn't care.

The love you left no longer lives within my heart.

See the game you played so recklessly tore it all apart.

99 Years

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

I've been in this prison twenty years or more
I shot my woman with a 44
I'll be right here till my dyin' day
I got 99 years and one dark day

Well the food is bad and the beds are hard
I spend all day breakin' rocks in the yard
Well there ain't no change gonna stay that way
I got 99 years and one dark day

Ain't no singer that can sing a song
Convince that warden that I ain't wrong
His mind's made up, gonna stay that way
I got 99 years and one dark day

I never learned to read, I never learned to write
My whole life's been one big fight
I never heard about the righteous way
I got 99 years and one dark day

I remember a time many years ago
I shot my woman with a 44
I'll be right here till my dyin' day
I got 99 years and one dark day
I got 99 years and one dark day

Arkansas Traveller - D

A

1-4 / 5-1 / 5 / 5

1-4 / 5-1 / 1-4 / 5-1

B

1-4 / 1-5 / 1-4 / 1-5

1-4 / 1-5 / 1-4 / 5-1

Angeline The Baker - D

A

1 / 1 / 1 / 4

1 / 1 / 1-4 / 1

B

1 / 1 / 1 / 4

1 / 1 / 1-4 / 1

Big Mon - A

A

1 / b7 / 1 / 5

1 / b7 / 1 / 5-1

1 / b7 / 1 / 5

1 / b7 / 1 / 5-1

B

1 / 1 / 1 / 5

1 / 1 / 1 / 5-1

1 / 1 / 1 / 5

1 / 1 / 1 / 5-1

Big Sandy River - A

A

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 5 / 1

B

1 / 4 / 5 / 1

1 / 4 / 5 / 1

Big Sciota - G

A

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 4 / 5 / 1

B

1 / 5 / 5 / 4

4 / 6m / 5 / 1

Bill Cheatham - A

A

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 4 / 4

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 5 / 1

B

1 / 4 / 5 / 1

1 / 4 / 1 / 5

1 / 4 / 5 / 1

1 / 4 / 5 / 1

Billy In The Lowground - D

A

1 / 1 / 6m / 6m

1 / 1 / 6m / 5-1

B

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 1 / 6m / 5-1

Black Mountain Rag - A/D

A

1 / 1 / 1 / 5-1

1 / 1 / 1 / 5-1

B

1 / 1 / 1 / 5-1

1 / 1 / 1 / 5-1

C

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Blackberry Blossom - G

A

1-5 / 4-1 / 4-1 / 2⁷-5

1-5 / 4-1 / 4-1 / 5-1

B

6m / 6m / 6m / 3⁷

6m / 6m / 4-1 / 5-1

Cherokee Shuffle - A

A

1 / 1 / 1 / 6m

4 / 1 / 1-5 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 6m

4 / 1 / 1-5 / 1

B

4 / 1 / 4 / 1

4 / 1 / 1 / 6m

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

4-5 / 1

Clinch Mountain Backstep - A

A

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

B

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

Daybreak In Dixie - A

A

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

B

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

4 / 5 / 1 / 1

Dear Old Dixie - G

A

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

2 / 2 / 5 / 5

B

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

4 / 4 / 3 / 3

4 / 4 / 1 / 6

2 / 5 / 1 / 1

Foggy Mountain Breakdown - G

1 / 1 / 6m / 1

6m / 1 / 5 / 1

1 / 1 / 6m / 1

6m / 1 / 5 / 1

Forked Deer - D

A

1 / 1 / 4 / 5

1 / 1 / 5 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 5

1 / 4 / 5 / 1

B

5 / 5 / 5 / 5

5 / 5 / 5 / 1

5 / 5 / 5 / 5

1 / 4 / 5 / 1

Gold Rush - A

A

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1-5 / 1

B

1 / 4-1 / 1 / 1

1 / 4-1 / 1-5 / 1

Jerusalem Ridge - Am

AABBCDD

A

1m / 1m / 1m / 5

1m / 1m / 1m / 5-1m

B

1m / 1m / 1m / 1m-5

1m / 1m / 1m / 5-1m

C

1m / 4m / b3 / 1m

5 / 1m / 1m / 1m

D

1m / 1m / b3 / b3

1m / 1m / 1m / 5-1m

1m / 1m / 5(½) / 1m / 1m

New Camptown Races - Bb

A

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

6m / 6m / 2 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

6m / 6m / 2-5 / 1

B

6m / 6m / 6m / 6m

2 / 2 / 2 / 5

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

6m / 6m / 2-5 / 1

Old Grimes - D

A

1 / 5 / 6m / 4-5

1 / 5 / 6m-4 / 5-1

B

1 / 4 / 6m / 6m-1

6m / 4 / 4 / 5-1

Old Joe Clark - A

A

1 / 1 / 1 / 5

1 / 1 / 1-b7 / 1

B

1 / 1 / 1 / b7

1 / 1 / 1-b7 / 1

Paddy On The Turnpike - Gm

A

1m / 1m / b7 / b7

1m / 1m / b7 / b7-1

Pike County Breakdown - A

1 / 1 / 5 / 1

1 / 1 / b7 / 5

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 5 / 1

Rawhide - C

A

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

4 / 1 / 5 / 1

B

3 / 3 / 6 / 6

2 / 2 / 5 / 5

Rebecca - C

A

1 / 1-4 / 1 / 1

5 / 5 / 4 / 4 (½ takt)

1 / 1

B

5 / 5 / 4 / 4 (½ takt)

1 / 1

5 / 5 / 4 / 4 (½ takt)

5 / 5.

Red Haired Boy - A

A

1 / 1-4 / 1 / b7

1 / 1-4 / 1 / 5-1

B

b7 / 4 / 1 / b7

1 / 1-4 / 1 / 5-1

Road To Columbus - A

A

1 / 4 / 1 / 5

1 / 4 / 1-5 / 1

B

1 / 4 / 1 / 5

1 / 4 / 1-5 / 1

Roanoke - G

A

1 / 1 / 1 / 5-1

1 / 1 / 1 / 5-1

1 / 1 / 1 / 5-1

1 / 1 / 1 / 5-1

B

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 1 / 1 / 5-1

1 / 1 / 4 / 4

1 / 1 / 1 / 5-1

Salt Creek - A

A

1 / 1-4 / b7 / b7-5

1 / 1-4 / b7 / 5-1

1 / 1-4 / b7 / b7-5

1 / 1-4 / b7 / 5-1

B

1 / 1 / b7 / b7

1 / 1 / b7 / 5-1

1 / 1 / b7 / b7

1 / 1 / b7 / 5-1

Salt Spring - A

A

1 / 1 / 2m / 2m-6m

2m / 2m-4 / 4 / 1

B

4-1 / 4-1 / 4-1 / 5

4-1 / 4-1 / 4-1 / 5

Sally Goodin - A

A

1 / 1 / 1 / 5-1

1 / 1 / 1 / 5-1

Saint Anne's reel - D

A

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 4-5 / 1

1 / 1 / 4 / 1

1 / 1 / 4-5 / 1

B

1 / 2m / 5 / 1

6m / 2m / 5 / 1

1 / 2m / 5 / 1

6m / 2m / 5 / 1

Theme Time - A

A

1 / 1 / 1 / b7

5 / 5 / 1 / 1

B

4. / / 1. /

2. / / 5 /

Train 45 - B

A

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 5 / 1 / 1

Wheel Hoss - G

A

1-b7 / 1-b7 / 1-b7 / 5-1

1-b7 / 1-b7 / 1-b7 / 5-1

1-b7 / 1-b7 / 1-b7 / 5-1

1-b7 / 1-b7 / 1-b7 / 5-1

B

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 5-1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 1

1 / 1 / 1 / 5-1 / 1

Whiskey Before Breakfast - D

A

1 / 1 / 4-1 / 5

1 / 1 / 4-1 / 5-1

1 / 1 / 4-1 / 5

1 / 1 / 4-1 / 5-1

B

1 / 1 / 2m / 5

1-5 / 4-1 / 4-1 / 5-1

1 / 1 / 2m / 5

1-5 / 4-1 / 4-1 / 5-1

Konverteringsdiagram For Nashville Nummereringssystemet

Key of C

1 = C	1m = Cm	b1 = B
2 = D	2m = Dm	b2 = C#
3 = E	3m = Em	b3 = D#
4 = F	4m = Fm	b4 = E
5 = G	5m = Gm	b5 = F#
6 = A	6m = Am	b6 = G#
7 = B	7m = Bm	b7 = A#

Key of Gb / F#

1 = Gb	1m = Gbm	b1 = F
2 = Ab	2m = Abm	b2 = G
3 = Bb	3m = Bbm	b3 = A
4 = Cb	4m = Cbm	b4 = Bb
5 = Db	5m = Dbm	b5 = C
6 = Eb	6m = Ebm	b6 = D
7 = F	7m = Fm	b7 = E

Key of Db / C#

1 = Db	1m = Dbm	b1 = C
2 = Eb	2m = Ebm	b2 = D
3 = F	3m = Fm	b3 = E
4 = Gb	4m = Gbm	b4 = F
5 = Ab	5m = Abm	b5 = G
6 = Bb	6m = Bbm	b6 = A
7 = C	7m = Cm	b7 = B

Key of G

1 = G	1m = Gm	b1 = Gb
2 = A	2m = Am	b2 = Ab
3 = B	3m = Bm	b3 = Bb
4 = C	4m = Cm	b4 = Cb
5 = D	5m = Dm	b5 = Db
6 = E	6m = Em	b6 = Eb
7 = F#	7m = F#m	b7 = F

Key of D

1 = D	1m = Dm	b1 = Db
2 = E	2m = Em	b2 = Eb
3 = F#	3m = F#m	b3 = F
4 = G	4m = Gm	b4 = Gb
5 = A	5m = Am	b5 = Ab
6 = B	6m = Bm	b6 = Bb
7 = C#	7m = C#m	b7 = C

Key of Ab / G#

1 = Ab	1m = Abm	b1 = G
2 = Bb	2m = Bbm	b2 = A
3 = Cb	3m = Cbm	b3 = B
4 = Db	4m = Dbm	b4 = C
5 = Eb	5m = Ebm	b5 = D
6 = F	6m = Fm	b6 = E
7 = G	7m = Gm	b7 = F#

Key of Eb / D#

1 = Eb	1m = Ebm	b1 = D
2 = F	2m = Fm	b2 = E
3 = G	3m = Gm	b3 = F#
4 = Ab	4m = Abm	b4 = G
5 = Bb	5m = Bbm	b5 = A
6 = C	6m = Cm	b6 = B
7 = D	7m = Dm	b7 = C#

Key of A

1 = A	1m = Am	b1 = Ab
2 = B	2m = Bm	b2 = Bb
3 = C#	3m = C#m	b3 = C
4 = D	4m = Dm	b4 = Db
5 = E	5m = Em	b5 = Eb
6 = F#	6m = F#m	b6 = F
7 = G#	7m = G#m	b7 = G

Key of E

1 = E	1m = Em	b1 = Eb
2 = F#	2m = F#m	b2 = F
3 = G#	3m = G#m	b3 = G
4 = A	4m = Am	b4 = Ab
5 = B	5m = Bm	b5 = Bb
6 = C#	6m = C#m	b6 = C
7 = D#	7m = D#m	b7 = D

Key of Bb / A#

1 = Bb	1m = Bbm	b1 = A
2 = C	2m = Cm	b2 = B
3 = D	3m = Dm	b3 = C#
4 = Eb	4m = Ebm	b4 = D
5 = F	5m = Fm	b5 = E
6 = G	6m = Gm	b6 = F#
7 = Ab	7m = Abm	b7 = G

Key of F

1 = F	1m = Fm	b1 = E
2 = G	2m = Gm	b2 = F#
3 = A	3m = Am	b3 = G#
4 = Bb	4m = Bbm	b4 = A
5 = C	5m = Cm	b5 = B
6 = D	6m = Dm	b6 = C#
7 = E	7m = Em	b7 = D#

Key of B

1 = B	1m = Bm	b1 = Bb
2 = C#	2m = C#m	b2 = C
3 = D#	3m = D#m	b3 = D
4 = E	4m = Em	b4 = Eb
5 = F#	5m = F#m	b5 = F
6 = G#	6m = G#m	b6 = G
7 = A	7m = Am	b7 = Ab