

Blue Bayou

Roy Orbison and Joe Melson (1963)

INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 / [A] / [A]

I [A] feel so bad I've got a worried mind
[E7] I'm so lonesome, all the time
[E7] Since I left my baby behind on [A] Blue Bayou [A]
[A] Saving nickels, saving dimes
[E7] Working 'til the sun don't shine
[E7] Looking forward to happier times on [A] Blue Bayou [A]

I'm going [A] back some day, come what may to [E7] Blue Bayou [E7]
Where you [E7] sleep all day, and the catfish play on [A] Blue Bayou [A]
All those [A] fishing boats with their [A7] sails afloat
If [D] I could only [Dm]↓ see
That fa-[A]miliar sunrise, through [E7] sleepy eyes
How [A] happy I'd be [A]

[A] Oh to see my baby again
[E7] And to be with some of my friends
[E7] Maybe I'll be happy then on [A] Blue Bayou [A]

I'm going [A] back some day, gonna stay on [E7] Blue Bayou [E7]
Where the [E7] folks are fine and the world is mine on [A] Blue Bayou [A]
Ah that [A] girl of mine [A7] by my side
The [D] silver moon and the [Dm]↓ evening tide
Oh [A] some sweet day, gonna [E7] take away
This [A] hurtin' inside [A]
I'll [E7] never be blue, my dreams come true
On [E7] Blue [E7] Ba-[A]you [A]/[A]/[A]↓

