

Kim Beggs
Jam Song book



Sing Along
Play Along

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Kim Beggs Biography and Store Information

Kim Beggs delivers a heartfelt darkness in a beautiful back woods beat driven performance. Sincere, vulnerable, clear eyed, tough Yukon's Beggs has garnered 7 Western Canadian Music Award nominations and 3 Canadian Folk Music Award nominations plus a nomination for Independent Music Award in the USA. Kim is currently working on her 6th album recording. She has toured with Buffy Saint-Marie, Chris Jagger and more.

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Ain't Gonna Work Tomorrow

Public Domain – **Key D** (capo 2 – Key C)

VERSE=CHORUS

Key of D

no capo

capo 2nd fret

1 1	D D
4 1	G D
4 1	G D
1 5 1 1	D A D D

C C
F C
F C
C G C C

INTRO over **CHORUS**

CHORUS

1	1		
Ain't gonna work tomorrow			
4	1		
Ain't gonna work today			
4	1		
Ain't gonna work tomorrow Lord			
1	5	1	1
For that is my wedding day			

VERSE 2

1	1		
I been all around this country			
4	1		
I been all around this world			
4	1		
I been all around this country Lord			
1	5	1	1
For the sake of one rising sun			

VERSE

1	1		
I love my Mama and my Papa			
4	1		
I love my Mama and my Papa too			
4	1		
Love my Mama and my Papa too			
1	5	1	1
And I'd leave them both to go with you			

CHORUS

SOLO - OVER **CHORUS** x 2

CHORUS

SOLO - OVER **CHORUS** x 2

VERSE 3

1	1	
I'm leaving you this lonesome song		
4	1	
I'm leaving you a lonesome song		
4	1	
I'm leaving you a lonesome song		
1	5	1
Because I am gonna be gone before long		

CHORUS

1	5	1	1
For that is my wedding day			

OUTRO over last line of CHORUS

1	5	1	1
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Ain't Gonna Work Tomorrow

Public Domain – **Key D** (capo 2 – Key C)

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Key of D

no capo

capo 2nd fret

1 1
4 1
4 1
1 5 1 1

D D
G D
G D
D A D D

C C
F C
F C
C G C C

INTRO over CHORUS

CHORUS

D D
Ain't gonna work tomorrow
G D
Ain't gonna work today
G D
Ain't gonna work tomorrow Lord
D A D D
For that is my wedding day

VERSE 2

D D
I been all around this country
G D
I been all around this world
G D
I been all around this country Lord
D A D D
For the sake of one rising sun

VERSE

D D
I love my Mama and my Papa
G D
I love my Mama and my Papa too
G D
Love my Mama and my Papa too
D A D D
And I'd leave them both to go with you

CHORUS

SOLO - OVER CHORUS x 2

CHORUS

SOLO - OVER CHORUS x 2

VERSE 3

D D
I'm leaving you this lonesome song
G D
I'm leaving you a lonesome song
G D
I'm leaving you a lonesome song
D A D D
Because I am gonna be gone before long

CHORUS

D A D D
For that is my wedding day

OUTRO over last line of CHORUS

D A D D

Ain't Gonna Work Tomorrow

Public Domain- Key D (*capo 2 – Key C*)

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capo 2nd fret

1 1

D D

C C

4 1

G D

F C

4 1

G D

F C

1 5 1 1

D A D D

C G C C

INTRO over **CHORUS – C I C I F I C I F I C I G I C I C I**

CHORUS

C

C

Ain't gonna work tomorrow

F

C

Ain't gonna work today

F

C

Ain't gonna work tomorrow Lord

C

G

C

C

For that is my wedding day

VERSE 2

C

C

I been all around this country

F

C

I been all around this world

F

C

I been all around this country Lord

C

G

C

C

For the sake of one rising sun

VERSE

C

C

I love my Mama and my Papa

F

C

I love my Mama and my Papa too

F

C

Love my Mama and my Papa too

C

G

C

C

And I'd leave them both to go with you

CHORUS

SOLO - OVER **CHORUS x 2**

VERSE 3

C

C

I'm leaving you this lonesome song

F

C

I'm leaving you a lonesome song

F

C

I'm leaving you a lonesome song

C

G

C

C

Because I am gonna be gone before long

CHORUS

SOLO - OVER **CHORUS x 2**

CHORUS

C

G

C

C

For that is my wedding day

OUTRO over last line of CHORUS

C

G

C

C

by Kim Beggs – Key G

4 1
5 1 (1)

VERSE A

SOLO CHORUS x 2

VERSE A

Well the handsome man with the golden shoulders
He weren't thinkin' bout another doughnut holder
They're drilling for oil, it's the brand new gold
I'll let you go but you need to know

VERSE B

4 4
He looked at me - he asked if I knew
1 1
I looked at him - I told him the truth
4 4
I ain't having a baby, and there's no rodeo
5 5 1 1
It's just because - I can't drive slow

VERSE B

Pedal to the metal for the company store
Pedal to the metal wasting precious gold
Pedal to the metal causin' world woe

Wohhh - 5 5

Oohhh - 4 4

Owoohhh - 1 1

SOLO – bridge - 5 5 4 4 1 1

CHORUS

4 1
Yodeladyhodee Yodeladyhodee
5 1 1
Yodeladyhodee Yodelady

VERSE A

Well the only way cause I can't drive slowly
Is to float down the water on my river pony
And put on my shoes and for a walk about
Or *imagine* the world from my own front porch

VERSE A

Can't drive slow when I'm hittin' the road
Can't drive slow through the great unknown
 When I'm driving down another Tennessee road
 I can't drive home slow to my Yukon Gold.

VERSE B

I gotta write folk yodels when the weather is colder
That you don't mind hearing over and over
And over and over til you're older and older
Just because I can't drive slow

VERSE B

*Can't drive slower than the money I owe
Can't drive slower than my yodelling ode
For a thousand miles on the AlCan highway
Can't drive slow _ to my Yukon hidaway _*

CHORUS X 2

Yodeladyhodee Yodeladyhodee
Yodeladyhodee Yodelady
SOLO CHORUS x
Yodeladyhodee Yodeladyhodee
Yodeladyhodee Yodelady

5 5 1!

- I can't drive slow!

CHORUS X 2

Yodeladyhodee Yodeladyhodee
Yodeladyhodee Yodelady

Can't Drive Slow Yodel

by Kim Beggs – Key G

G G
C C
G G
D D G G

C C
G G
C C
D D G G

C G
D G (G)

INTRO – G | G | G | G |

VERSE A

G G
I was driving down a lonesome road
C C
In my highway pony with the radio
G G
When lights went whirly and I got pulled over
D D G G
By the handsome man with the golden shoulders

VERSE B

C C
He looked at me - he asked if I knew
G G
I looked at him - I told him the truth
C C
I ain't having a baby, and there's no rodeo
D D G G
It's just because - I can't drive slow

CHORUS

C G
Yodeladyhodee Yodeladyhodee
D G G
Yodeladyhodee Yodelady

VERSE A

Can't drive slow when I'm hittin' the road
Can't drive slow through the great unknown
When I'm driving down another Tennessee road
I can't drive home slow _ to my Yukon Gold. _

VERSE B

Can't drive slower than the money I owe
Can't drive slower than my yodelling ode
For a thousand miles on the AlCan highway
Can't drive slow _ to my Yukon hidaway _

CHORUS X 2

Yodeladyhodee Yodeladyhodee
Yodeladyhodee Yodelady

SOLO CHORUS x 2

VERSE A

Well the handsome man with the golden shoulders
He weren't thinkin' bout another doughnut holder
They're drilling for oil, it's the brand new gold
I'll let you go _ but you need to know _

VERSE B

Pedal to the metal for the company store
Pedal to the metal wasting precious gold
Pedal to the metal causin' world woe
Wohhh – D D
Oohhh – C C
Owoohhh – G G

SOLO – bridge – D D C C G G

VERSE A

Well the only way cause I can't drive slowly
Is to float down the water on my river pony
And put on my shoes and for a walk about
Or imagine the world _ from my own front porch _

VERSE B

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That you don't mind hearing over and over
And over and over til you're older and older
Just because _ I can't drive slow _

CHORUS X 2

Yodeladyhodee Yodeladyhodee
Yodeladyhodee Yodelady

SOLO CHORUS

Yodeladyhodee Yodeladyhodee
Yodeladyhodee Yodelady
D D G!
- I can't drive slow!

I'm Thinking Tonight of My Blue Eyes

(traditional) **Key C** – (capo 5 - Key of G)

VERSE = CHORUS

#chart

1 1 4 4
5⁷ 5⁷ 1 1
1 1 4 4
5⁷ 5⁷ 1 1

No capo

C C F F
G⁷ G⁷ C C
C C F F
G⁷ G⁷ C C

Capo 5

G G C C
D⁷ D⁷ G G
G G C C
D⁷ D⁷ G G

INTRO – C | C | F | F | G⁷ | G⁷ | C | C |

VERSE

Would be better for us _ had we never _
G⁷ G⁷ C C
In this wide, wicked world _ ever met _
C C F C
For the pleasures we've both _ seen together, _
G⁷ G⁷ C C
I am sure love I'll never forget. _

CHORUS

Oh, I'm thinking tonight of my blue eyes _
G⁷ G⁷ C C
Who is sailing far over the sea _
C C F C
Oh, I'm thinking tonight of him only _
G⁷ G⁷ C C
And I wonder if he ever thinks of me _

SOLO CHORUS x2

VERSE

Oh, you told me once, dear, that you loved me _
G⁷ G⁷ C C
And you said that we never would part _
C C F C
But a link in the chain has been broken _
G⁷ G⁷ C C
Leavin' me with a sad and aching heart _

CHORUS

Oh, I'm thinking tonight of my blue eyes _
G⁷ G⁷ C C
Who is sailing far over the sea _
C C F C
Oh, I'm thinking tonight of him only _
G⁷ G⁷ C C
And I wonder if he ever thinks of me _

SOLO CHORUS x2

VERSE

When the cold, cold grave _ shall enclose me _
G⁷ G⁷ C C
Will you come there and shed just one tear _
C C F C
And say to the strangers around you _
G⁷ G⁷ C C
A poor heart you have broken lies here _

CHORUS X 2

Oh, I'm thinking tonight of my blue eyes _
G⁷ G⁷ C C
Who is sailing far over the sea _
C C F C
Oh, I'm thinking tonight of him only _
G⁷ G⁷ C C
And I wonder if he ever thinks of me _

Oh, I'm thinking tonight of my blue eyes _
G⁷ G⁷ C C
Who is sailing far over the sea _
C C F C
Oh, I'm thinking tonight of him only _
G⁷ G⁷ C C
And I wonder if he ever thinks of me _
G⁷ G⁷ C C
[tag] And I wonder if he ever thinks of me _

OUTRO - G⁷ | G⁷ | C | C |

I'm Thinking Tonight of My Blue Eyes

(traditional) Key C – (capo 5 - Key of G)

VERSE = CHORUS

#chart

1 1 4 4
5⁷ 5⁷ 1 1
1 1 4 4
5⁷ 5⁷ 1 1

No capo

C C F F
G⁷ G⁷ C C
C C F F
G⁷ G⁷ C C

Capo 5

G G C C
D⁷ D⁷ G G
G G C C
D⁷ D⁷ G G

INTRO – G | G | C | C | D⁷ | D⁷ | G | G |

VERSE

Would be better for us _ had we never _
D⁷ D⁷ G G
In this wide, wicked world _ ever met _
G G C C
For the pleasures we've both _ seen together, _
D⁷ D⁷ G G
I am sure love I'll never forget. _

CHORUS

Oh, I'm thinking tonight of my blue eyes _
D⁷ D⁷ G G
Who is sailing far over the sea _
G G C C
Oh, I'm thinking tonight of him only _
D⁷ D⁷ G G
And I wonder if he ever thinks of me _

SOLO CHORUS x2

VERSE

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And you said that we never would part _
G G C C
But a link in the chain has been broken _
D⁷ D⁷ G G
Leavin' me with a sad and aching heart _

CHORUS

Oh, I'm thinking tonight of my blue eyes _
D⁷ D⁷ G G
Who is sailing far over the sea _
G G C C
Oh, I'm thinking tonight of him only _
D⁷ D⁷ G G
And I wonder if he ever thinks of me _

SOLO CHORUS x2

VERSE

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CHORUS X 2

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D⁷ D⁷ G G
And I wonder if he ever thinks of me _

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Who is sailing far over the sea _
G G C C
Oh, I'm thinking tonight of him only _
D⁷ D⁷ G G
And I wonder if he ever thinks of me _

[tag]And I wonder if he ever thinks of me _

OUTRO - D⁷ | D⁷ | G | G |

Hurts the Worst

by Kim Beggs **Key of Am**

1m 1m
4m 4m
1m 1m
5 5

1m 1m
4m 4m
1m 1m
5 5

1m 1m
5 5
1m 1m
5 5 1m 1m

INTRO (FIRST 1/2 CHORUS)

1m | 1m | 5 | 5 |

VERSE A

1m 1m
Leaving home, out on my own
4m 4m
I got a job and some seeds to sow
1m 1m
I won't forget the look in her eyes
5 5
Looking back, when Mama said good-bye

CHORUS

1m 1m
It always hurts the worst the first time
5 5
It always hurts the worst the first time
1m 1m
Common darling, don't think it over
5 5 1m 1m
It always hurts the worst the first time

VERSE A

1m 1m
We slept together in my single bed
4m 4m
My first apartment where I paid the rent
1m 1m
A woocked, crooked, sparkling smile
5 5
I haven't seen him in a long, long while

PRECHORUS

1m 1m
We knew about the giving and taking
4m 4m
The river flowing and mountain shakin'
1m 1m
Life worth living, is breath- taking
5 5
We heard each other's hearts a breakin'

CHORUS

1m 1m
It always hurts the worst the first time
5 5
It always hurts the worst the first time
1m 1m
Common darling, don't think it over
5 5 1m 1m
It always hurts the worst the first time

VERSE A

1m 1m
I left the city and moved up north
4m 4m
I got a cabin and I made some friends
1m 1m
Some of them quit, some of them died
5 5
But we all managed by the fireside

PRECHORUS

1m 1m
We knew about the giving and taking
4m 4m
The river flowing and mountain shakin'
1m 1m
Life worth living, is breath- taking
5 5
We heard each other's hearts a breakin'

CHORUS

1m 1m
It always hurts the worst the first time
5 5
It always hurts the worst the first time
1m 1m
Common darling, don't think it over
5 5 1m 1m
It always hurts the worst the first time

1m 1m
Old records and strawberry wine
4m 4m
Old love, no rhythm or rhyme
1m 1m
Common darling, don't think it over
5 5 1m 1m
It always hurts the worst the first time

OUTRO (LAST 1/2 CHORUS)

1m | 1m | 5 | 5 | 1m | 1m

Hurts the Worst

by Kim Beggs **Key of Am**

Am Am
Dm Dm
Am Am
E E

*Am Am
Dm Dm
Am Am
E E*

**Am Am
E E
Am Am
E E Am Am**

INTRO (FIRST ½ CHORUS)

Am | Am | E | E |

VERSE A

Am Am
Leaving home, out on my own
Dm Dm
I got a job and some seeds to sow
Am Am
I won't forget the look in her eyes
E E
Looking back, when Mama said good-bye

CHORUS

**Am Am
It always hurts the worst the first time
E E
It always hurts the worst the first time
Am Am
Common darling, don't think it over
E E Am Am
It always hurts the worst the first time**

VERSE A

Am Am
We slept together in my single bed
Dm Dm
My first apartment where I paid the rent
Am Am
A woocked, crooked, sparkling smile
E E
I haven't seen him in a long, long while

PRECHORUS

*Am Am
We knew about the giving and taking
Dm Dm
The river flowing and mountain shakin'
Am Am
Life worth living, is breath- taking
E E
We heard each other's hearts a breakin'*

CHORUS

**Am Am
It always hurts the worst the first time
E E
It always hurts the worst the first time
Am Am
Common darling, don't think it over
E E Am Am
It always hurts the worst the first time**

VERSE A

Am Am
I left the city and moved up north
Dm Dm
I got a cabin and I made some friends
Am Am
Some of them quit, some of them died
E E
But we all managed by the fireside

PRECHORUS

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We knew about the giving and taking
Dm Dm
The river flowing and mountain shakin'
Am Am
Life worth living, is breath- taking
E E
We heard each other's hearts a breakin'*

CHORUS

**Am Am
It always hurts the worst the first time
E E
It always hurts the worst the first time
Am Am
Common darling, don't think it over
E E
It always hurts the worst the first time**

FIRST ½ VERSE THEN LAST ½ OF CHORUS

Am Am
Old records and strawberry wine
Dm Dm
Old love, no rhythm or rhyme
Am Am
Common darling, don't think it over
E E Am Am
It always hurts the worst the first time

OUTRO (LAST ½ CHORUS)

Am | Am | E | E | Am | Am

Said Little Sparrow

By Kim Beggs - **Key Cm** (capo 3 – Key Am shape)

Cm Cm
Fm Fm
G G
G Cm

Cm Cm
Fm Fm
Cm Cm
G G

Cm Cm
Fm Fm
Cm Cm
G G

INTRO CHORUS

Cm | Cm | Fm | Fm | G | G | G | Cm |

CHORUS

Cm Cm
Blue on the mountain
Fm Fm
Blue in my soul
G G
So many people
G Cm
I don't even know

VERSE A

Cm Cm
Axe in my chest
Fm Fm
Hook in my back
Cm Cm
Tied to four horses
G G
With a whip and a lash

PRECHORUS

Cm Cm
Oh woe is me
Fm Fm
Said little sparrow
Cm Cm
My mother used to sing
G G
When I was young

CHORUS

Cm Cm
Blue on the mountain
Fm Fm
Blue in my soul
G G
So many people
G Cm
I don't even know

VERSE A

Cm Cm
War in my head
Fm Fm
Run for my life
Cm Cm
Lead in my boots
G G
I dream every night

PRECHORUS

Cm Cm
Oh woe is me
Fm Fm
Said little sparrow
Cm Cm
My mother used to sing
G G
When I was young

CHORUS

Cm Cm
Blue on the mountain
Fm Fm
Blue in my soul
G G
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I don't even know

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G G
So many people
G Cm
I don't even know

Said Little Sparrow

By Kim Beggs - Key Cm (capo 3 – Key Am shape)

Am Am
Dm Dm
E E
E Am

Am Am
Dm Dm
Am Am
E E

Am Am
Dm Dm
Am Am
E E

INTRO CHORUS

Am | Am | Dm | Dm | E | E | E | Am |

CHORUS

Am Am
Blue on the mountain
Dm Dm
Blue in my soul
E E
So many people
E Am
I don't even know

VERSE A

Am Am
Axe in my chest
Dm Dm
Hook in my back
Am Am
Tied to four horses
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With a whip and a lash

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Am Am
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CHORUS

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Dm Dm
Blue in my soul
E E
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E Am
I don't even know

CHORUS

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Dm Dm
Blue in my soul
E E
So many people
E Am
I don't even know

E E
So many people
E Am
I don't even know

Said Little Sparrow

By Kim Beggs - Key Cm (capo 3 – Key Am shape)

1m 1m

4m 4m

5 5

5 1m

1m 1m

4m 4m

1m 1m

5 5

1m 1m

4m 4m

1m 1m

5 5

INTRO CHORUS

1m | 1m | 4m | 4m | 5 | 5 | 5 | 1m |

CHORUS

1m 1m

Blue on the mountain

4m 4m

Blue in my soul

5 5

So many people

5 1m

I don't even know

VERSE A

1m 1m

Axe in my chest

4m 4m

Hook in my back

1m 1m

Tied to four horses

5 5

With a whip and a lash

PRECHORUS

1m 1m

Oh woe is me

4m 4m

Said little sparrow

1m 1m

My mother used to sing

5 5

When I was young

CHORUS

1m 1m

Blue on the mountain

4m 4m

Blue in my soul

5 5

So many people

5 1m

I don't even know

VERSE A

1m 1m

War in my head

4m 4m

Run for my life

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Oh woe is me

4m 4m

Said little sparrow

1m 1m

My mother used to sing

5 5

When I was young

CHORUS

1m 1m

Blue on the mountain

4m 4m

Blue in my soul

5 5

So many people

5 1m

I don't even know

CHORUS

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Blue on the mountain

4m 4m

Blue in my soul

5 5

So many people

5 1m

I don't even know

5 5

So many people

5 1m

I don't even know

Prettiest Flowers

By Kim Beggs - Key of C

1 1
3⁷ 3⁷
4 4
5 5

1 1
3⁷ 3⁷
4 4
5 5

1 3⁷
4 4
1 3⁷
4 5 1 1

INTRO SOLO

1| 1| 3⁷ | 3⁷ | 4| 4| 5| 5|

VERSE A

1 1
Today's gonna wake up, big trouble
3⁷ 3⁷
Oldman sleeping under the rubble
4 4
Scratch your itches, pull out your stitches
5 5
It's a new day, get off yer britches

VERSE A

1 1
Grammy is smokin', drinkin' her gin
3⁷ 3⁷
Sun's up over the yard-arm again
4 4
Crossing out numbers in her little black book
5 5
They're all dead and gone, she said, my little one

PRECHORUS

1 1
Coming through, going out
3⁷ 3⁷
Steal a kiss in the round about
4 4
Can't always know, Can't always say
5 5
But I know it'll take my breath away

PRECHORUS

1 1
Coming through, going out
3⁷ 3⁷
Steal a kiss in the round about
4 4
Can't always know, Can't always say
5 5
But I know it'll take my breath away

CHORUS

1 3⁷
Every second of every hour
4 4
Planting and picking the prettiest flowers
1 3⁷
Life and death they dance together
4 5 1 1
No matter the time, no matter the weather

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Every second of every hour
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Planting and picking the prettiest flowers
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CHORUS SOLO

1| 3⁷ | 4| 4| 1| 3⁷ | 4| 5| 1| 1|

CHORUS OUTRO SOLO

1| 3⁷ | 4| 4| 1| 3⁷ | 4| 5| 1| 1|

Prettiest Flowers

By Kim Beggs - Key of C

C C
E⁷ E⁷
F F
G G

C C
E⁷ E⁷
F F
G G

C E⁷
F F
C E⁷
F G C C

INTRO SOLO

C| C| E⁷ | E⁷| F| F| G| G|

VERSE A

C C
Today's gonna wake up, big trouble
E⁷ E⁷
Oldman sleeping under the rubble
F F
Scratch your itches, pull out your stitches
G G
It's a new day, get off yer britches

VERSE A

C C
Grammy is smokin', drinkin' her gin
E⁷ E⁷
Sun's up over the yard-arm again
F F
Crossing out numbers in her little black book
G G
They're all dead and gone, she said, my little one

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G G
But I know it'll take my breath away

CHORUS

C E⁷
Every second of every hour
F F
Planting and picking the prettiest flowers
C E⁷
Life and death they dance together
F G C C
No matter the time, no matter the weather

CHORUS

C E⁷
Every second of every hour
F F
Planting and picking the prettiest flowers
C E⁷
Life and death they dance together
F G C C
No matter the time, no matter the weather

CHORUS SOLO

C| E⁷ | F| F| C| E⁷ | F| G| C| C|

CHORUS

C E⁷
Every second of every hour
F F
Planting and picking the prettiest flowers
C E⁷
Life and death they dance together
F G C C
No matter the time, no matter the weather

CHORUS OUTRO SOLO

C| E⁷ | F| F| C| E⁷ | F| G| C| C|

Summertime Lonesome Blues

By Kim Beggs – Key B

VERSE = CHORUS

B B B B
F F B B
G G B B

INTRO - B | B | B | B |

VERSE

B B B B
My baby's good looking _ when the snow hits the ground
F F B B
My wintertime baby _ loves me all year round
G G B B
But he only quits drinking _ when my train comes to town

VERSE

B B B B
In the springtime, _ my baby gets blue _
F F B B
When the sun comes round _ he hears that whistling tune
G G B B
I know he knows I know - I'll be leaving soon _

CHORUS

B B B B
For five hundred miles, _ I'll miss my baby my blues
F F B B
The train whistle blows _ my favourite tune _
G G B B
Heart does the talking _ and my shoes do the walking

VERSE

B B B B
I heard the news, _ on that whispering avenue _
F F B B
My wintertime baby _ hit the bottle in June _
G G B B
Baby's been drinking the summertime lonesome blues

VERSE

B B B B
He got the blues, _ ain't nothing I can do
F F B B
My blues my baby, _ 'til the morning through
G G B B
Baby's been drinking, and sleeps at the river by noon

CHORUS

B B B B
For five hundred miles, _ I'll miss my baby my blues
F F B B
The train whistle blows _ my favourite tune _
G G B B
Heart does the talking _ and my shoes do the walking

SOLO - CHORUS – humming/instrumental

SOLO - CHORUS instrumental/humming

VERSE

B B B B
He got the blues, _ ain't nothing I can do
F F B B
My blues my baby, _ 'til the summer is through
G G B B
And gets the birds eye view Hey baby I'm coming home soon

VERSE

B B B B
My baby's good looking, _ when the snow hits the ground
F F B B
My wintertime baby, _ loves me all year round
G G B B
And he only quits drinking _ when my love comes to town

CHORUS

B B B B
For five hundred miles, _ I'll miss my baby my blues
F F B B
The train whistle blows _ my favourite tune _
G G B B
Heart does the talking _ and my shoes do the walking

G G B B
[Tag] - Heart does the talking _ and my shoes do the walking

OUTRO: G | G | B | B!

Up From the River

by Kim Beggs – Key Am

VERSE=CHORUS

Am Am
Em Em
Am Am
Em Em Am Am

Am Am
Em Em
Am Am
Em Em Am Am

INTRO – CHORUS Am | Am | Em | Em | Am | Am | Em | Em | Am | Am |

VERSE

Am Am
I passed through my Mama in her last cry
Em Em
I kept warm in the blood of her thighs
Am Am
They told me that I took her life
Em Em Am Am
On that cold winter morning she gave me mine

VERSE

Am Am
My Papa swore he'd be comin' home
Em Em
Before the winter, before I'm born
Am Am
He didn't want to leave poor Mama to cope with
Em Em Am Am
My poor Papa died in the cold, cold war –

CHORUS

Am Am
Up from the river I am flyin'
Em Em
To the place in my heart where it's dyin'
Am Am
Up to the sky no more crying
Em Em Am Am
My Mama's gonna sing me a lullabyin'

VERSE

Am Am
Raised at the river by the old ones tryin'
Em Em
Their best in the hard times and baby's cryin'
Am Am
For the arms, the spirit, the blood of my family
Em Em Am Am
The song in my heart calls me to heaven –

CHORUS

Am Am
Up from the river I am flyin'
Em Em
To the place in my heart where it's dyin'
Am Am
Up to the sky no more crying
Em Em Am Am
My Mama's gonna sing me a lullabyin'
SOLO - CHORUS

VERSE

Am Am
_ Make a tea of my bitter view
Em Em
Make it strong, make it true
Am Am
Make it sweet with the morning dew
Em Em Am Am
_ It's ready when my love pass through –

CHORUS

Am Am
Up from the river I am flyin'
Em Em
To the place in my heart where it's dyin'
Am Am
Up to the sky no more crying
Em Em Am Am
My Mama's gonna sing me a lullabyin'
Em Em Am Am
My Mama's gonna sing me a lullabyin'
Em Em Am Am
My Mama's gonna sing me a lullabyin'

OUTRO: Em | Em | Am | Am

Wanderers Paean

By Kim Beggs – Key C (capo 5 - Key G) WALTZ $\frac{3}{4}$ time

1 5 4 1
5 4 1 1
1 5 4 1
5 4 1 1

INTRO - 1 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 1 |

VERSE

1 5 4 1
One cup of tea in the morning for me
5 4 1 1
A kiss while you sleep
1 5 4 1
The sun rising up brings a tear to my eye
5 4 1 1
My heart tells me get along my way

CHORUS

4 1 4 1
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
5 1 5 1
hooo hooh wanderer's paean
4 1 4 1
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
5 1 5 1 1
hooo hooh get along my way

VERSE

1 5 4 1
I'm the one from my kin whose blood won't stop burnin'
5 4 1 1
Wandering bones and skin
1 5 4 1
The saddle round my heart, it cinches at night
5 4 1 1
When I start to thinkin' I'm home

CHORUS

4 1 4 1
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
5 1 5 1
hooo hooh wanderer's paean
4 1 4 1
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
5 1 5 1
hooo hooh get along my way

SHORT SOLO: (5 4 1 1)

4 1 4 1
5 1 5 1
4 1 4 1
5 1 5 1 (1)

VERSE

1 5 4 1
You shone your love in this stone that ain't true
5 4 1 1
And my skies are heavy and blue –
1 5 4 1
But with the clothes on my back, grub and coins in my sac
5 4 1 1
My heart tells me get along my way –

CHORUS

4 1 4 1
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
5 1 5 1
hooo hooh wanderer's paean
4 1 4 1
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
5 1 5 1 1
hooo hooh get along my way

SOLO OVER CHORUS

4 1 4 1
5 1 5 1
4 1 4 1
5 1 5 1

VERSE

1 5 4 1
Hand clasping hand, pull me up from the tracks
5 4 1 1
By strangers, won't never look back –
1 5 4 1
Boxcar my freedom, railroad my bath
5 4 1 1
Sundown by clickity clack –

CHORUS

4 1 4 1
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
5 1 5 1
hooo hooh wanderer's paean
4 1 4 1
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
5 1 5 1
hooo hooh get along my way
5 1 5 1
Wanderer's pain

OUTRO: 5 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 1 |

Wanderers Paean

By Kim Beggs – Key C (capo 5 - Key G) WALTZ ¾ time

G D C G
D C G G
G D C G
D C G G

INTRO - G | D | C | G | D | C | G | G |

VERSE

G D C G
One cup of tea in the morning for me
D C G G
A kiss while you sleep
G D C G
The sun rising up brings a tear to my eye
D C G G
My heart tells me get along my way

CHORUS

C G C G
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
D G D G
hooo hooo wanderer's paean
C G C G
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
D G D G G
hooo hooo get along my way

VERSE

G D C G
I'm the one from my kin whose blood won't stop burnin'
D C G G
Wandering bones and skin
G D C G
The saddle round my heart, it cinches at night
D C G G
When I start to thinkin' I'm home

CHORUS

C G C G
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
D G D G
hooo hooo wanderer's paean
C G C G
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
D G D G G
hooo hooo get along my way

SHORT SOLO: (D C G G)

C G C G
D G D G
C G C G
D G D G (G)

VERSE

G D C G
You shone your love in this stone that ain't true
D C G G
And my skies are heavy and blue –
G D C G
But with the clothes on my back, grub and coins in my sac
D C G G
My heart tells me get along my way –

CHORUS

C G C G
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
D G D G
hooo hooo wanderer's paean
C G C G
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
D G D G G
hooo hooo get along my way

SOLO OVER CHORUS

4 1 4 1
5 1 5 1
4 1 4 1
5 1 5 1

VERSE

G D C G
Hand clasping hand, pull me up from the tracks
D C G G
By strangers, won't never look back –
G D C G
Boxcar my freedom, railroad my bath
D C G G
Sundown by clickity clack –

CHORUS

C G C G
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
D G D G
hooo hooo wanderer's paean
C G C G
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
D G D G G
hooo hooo get along my way
D G D G
Wanderer's pain

OUTRO: D | G | D | G | G |

Wanderers Paean

By Kim Beggs – Key C (capo 5 - Key G) WALTZ ¾ time

C G F C
G F C C
C G F C
G F C C

INTRO - G | D | C | G | D | C | G | G |

VERSE

C G F C
One cup of tea in the morning for me
G F C C
A kiss while you sleep
C G F C
The sun rising up brings a tear to my eye
G F C C
My heart tells me get along my way

CHORUS

F C F C
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
G C G C
hooo hooo wanderer's paean
F C F C
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
G C G C C
hooo hooo get along my way

VERSE

C G F C
I'm the one from my kin whose blood won't stop burnin'
G F C C
Wandering bones and skin
C G F C
The saddle round my heart, it cinches at night
G F C C
When I start to thinkin' I'm home

CHORUS

F C F C
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
G C G C
hooo hooo wanderer's paean
F C F C
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
G C G C C
hooo hooo get along my way

SHORT SOLO: (G F C C)

F C F C
G C G C
F C F C
G C G C (C)

VERSE

C G F C
You shone your love in this stone that ain't true
G F C C
And my skies are heavy and blue –
C G F C
But with the clothes on my back, grub and coins in my sac
G F C C
My heart tells me get along my way –

CHORUS

F C F C
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
G C G C
hooo hooo wanderer's paean
F C F C
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
G C G C C
hooo hooo get along my way

SOLO OVER CHORUS

4 1 4 1
5 1 5 1
4 1 4 1
5 1 5 1

VERSE

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F C F C
I heard the train last night, whistle refrain
G C G C
hooo hooo get along my way
G C G C
Wanderer's pain

OUTRO: G | C | G | C | C |