**Blue Bayou (Roy Orbison & Joe Melson, 1961) (C)**

**As performed by** [**Linda Ronstadt**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q98s8GyPw64) **(1977)**

**Tempo: 95 bpm**

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| **Intro: C | G7 | C**  **C G7**1. I feel so bad, I’ve got a worried mind; I'm so lonesome \_\_ all the time, **C**Since I left my baby behind on Blue Bayou. **C G7****2.** Saving nickels, saving dimes; \_\_ working till the sun don't shine; **C | Bb C**Looking forward to happier times on Blue Bayou.**Chorus** **C G7**I'm going back someday, come what may to Blue Bayou. **C**Where the folks are fine and the world is mine on Blue Bayou.  **C C7 F Fm**Where those fishing boats with their sails a-float, if I could only see, **C G7 C**That fa-miliar sunrise through sleepy eyes how happy I'd be. **C G7**3. Gonna see my baby again, gonna be with some of my friends; **C**Maybe I'll feel better again on Blue Bayou. **Repeat Verse 2 and Chorus.** **Instrumental Interlude: C | C | G7 | G7 | G7 | G7 | C | C** **Outro** **C C7 F Fm**Oh that boy of mine by my side, the silver moon and the evening tide, **C G7 C**Oh some sweet day, gonna take away this hurting inside.  **G7 C | C | C | C**Well I'll never be blue, my dreams come true, on Blue Ba-you.  **(Hold)** |  |
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**Blue Bayou (Roy Orbison & Joe Melson, 1961) (G)**

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| **Intro: G | D7 | G**  **G D7**1. I feel so bad, I’ve got a worried mind; I'm so lonesome \_\_ all the time, **G**Since I left my baby behind on Blue Bayou. **G D7****2.** Saving nickels, saving dimes; \_\_ working till the sun don't shine; **G | F | G**Looking forward to happier times on Blue Bayou.**Chorus** **G D7**I'm going back someday, come what may to Blue Bayou. **G**Where the folks are fine and the world is mine on Blue Bayou.  **G G7 C Cm**Where those fishing boats with their sails a-float, if I could only see, **G D7 G**That fa-miliar sunrise through sleepy eyes how happy I'd be. **G D7**3. Gonna see my baby again, gonna be with some of my friends; **G**Maybe I'll feel better again on Blue Bayou. **Repeat Verse 2 and Chorus.** **Instrumental Interlude: G | G | D7 | D7 | D7 | D7 | G | G** **Outro** **G G7 C Cm**Oh that boy of mine by my side, the silver moon and the evening tide **G D7 G**Oh some sweet day, gonna take away this hurting inside.  **D G | G | G | G**Well I'll never be blue, my dreams come true, on Blue Ba-you.  **(Hold)** |  |
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