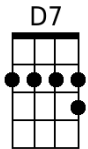


GCEA

Ramblin'

Randy Sparks

4/4 Time; Original Key of D (2 Sharps); "Driving Blues Tempo"; Ukulele
Recorded by *The New Christy Minstrels* on their 1963 album *Ramblin'*



Four measure instrumental introduction, then five measures:

D7

I've been a-ramblin', oo, I've been a-ramblin', oo,

D7

I've been ramblin'; Lawd, I've been ramblin'!

I've been north, south, east, west, all up and down the line;

A

G

I've been waitin', anticipat-in'

D

D7

Lookin' for the sun to shine.

I've been a-ramblin', oo, I've been a-ramblin', oo,

D7

Kansas City, New Orleans;

Just like an old muddy river, I gotta roll along.

A

G

I gotta ramble, I gotta ramble,

D

D7

I gotta sing my lonely song.

I've been a-ramblin', oo, I've been a-ramblin', oo,

D7

I had a woman, once I had a woman;

She was the truest woman this world will ever see.

A

G

Oh well, I loved her; yes I loved her;

D

D7

And she was true to everyone ... but me. (*Poor boy!*)

I've been a-ramblin', oo, I've been a-ramblin', oo,

D7

Train's a comin'; my train's a-comin',

Can't you hear that lonesome whistle .. moanin' down the track?

A

G

I gotta ramble, I gotta ramble;

D

D7

I got a feelin' that I won't be back.

I've been a-ramblin', oo, poor boy,

D7

I gotta ramble, Lawd;

I'm movin' North and South, all up and down the line.

Yes, I'm ramblin' ...

(Repeat as needed for fade out)

Bari

