

Arkansas Blues

A Down Home Chant

Anton Lada & Spencer Williams • 1921

sheet music key: F

Blues have o-ver-tak-en me,

I'm so wear-y, days are full o' gloom,

Home-sick-ness has got me down in mind.

'Way down in old Ar-kan-sas, In old Dix-ie,

my log cab-in home, Where the Sou-thern folks are good and

kind, I find. I'm on the right track, I've got my trunk packed, And I have

asked the good Lord to take the train back That's head-in' south and tak-in' me to Dar-da-nelle,

Ain't got no time to lose, I'm tired of rom-in', I'm tired of roam-in', I long to

see my mam-my and my home in old log cab-in land, 'Way down there in the dell,

I've got the Ar-kan-sas Blues, I've got the Ar-kan-sas Blues.

Chords: D, D7, G7, Gm7, A7, A+, B7, E7.