

Where That Ol' Man River Flows

sheet music key: E-flat

music by Joe Verges • lyric by Eugene West • 1920

Saw a scene up - on the screen that thrilled me through and through, It showed a cer - tain place
Dix - ie - land, my Dix - ie - land, I hear you call - ing me, I guess, no more I'll roam, —

— where I know ev - 'ry face, And some - how, since I saw — that love - ly scene, I'm
— I know I'll soon be home, And when I reach a - gain my Dix - ie - land, my

kind - a home-sick, too. Now some - thing seems to say ev - 'ry mo - ment of the day:
heart will jump with glee. There's no spot here on earth like that dear place of one's birth.

Take me there, take me where — life is sweet — be - yond com - pare, — To that land so fair — where that

ol' man liv - er flows. — Sun - ny skies — meet your eyes, —

you'll a - gree — and re - al - ize — It's a par - a - dise — where that ol' man liv - er flows. —

Mis - sis - sip - pi, for you I am pin - ing, Dix - ie moon, please light my way and keep on

shin - ing. Lord - y me, — can't you see — what is real - ly ail - ing me? — I just

long to be — where that ol' man liv - er flows. —