

BLUE BAYOU (ROY ORBISON, 1963 (RECORDED IN 1961))

C **G**
I feel so bad, I got a worried mind; I'm so lonesome all the time

(G) **C**
Since I left my baby behind on Blue Bayou

C **G**
Saving nickels, saving dimes; working till the sun don't shine

(G) **C**
Looking forward to happier times on Blue Bayou

Chorus:

(C) **G**
I'm going back someday, come what may to Blue Bayou

(G) **C**
Where the folks are fine, and the world is mine on Blue Bayou

(C) **C7** **F** **Fm6**
Where those fishing boats with their sails afloat, if I could only see

C **G** **C**
That familiar sunrise through sleepy eyes, how happy I'd be

(C) **G**
Gonna see my baby again; Gonna be with some of my friends

(G) **C**
Maybe I'll feel better again on Blue Bayou

(C) **G**
Saving nickels, saving dimes; working till the sun don't shine

(G) **C**
Looking forward to happier times on Blue Bayou **(Chorus)**

(Optional InstrumentalChords) **C C G G G G C C**

Outro:

(C) **C7** **F** **Fm6**
Oh, that boy of mine by my side, the silver moon and the evening time

C **G** **C**
Oh, some sweet day, gonna take away this hurtin' inside

G **G7** **C**
Well, I'd never be blue, my dreams come true on Blue Ba – you