

Detour Ahead

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Ballad [Woody Herman 1949] (♩ = 70)

A1 **FMA⁷** **B^{7(b9)}** **E^{7(#5)}**

Smooth road, clear day, but

B^bMA⁷ **AMi⁷** **DMi⁷** / **G⁷** **GMI⁷** **C⁷**

3 why am I the on-ly one trav - 'ling this way?

CMi⁷ **F⁷** **B^bMA⁷** **E^{b7}**

5 How strange the road to love should be so eas - y.

FMA⁷ **DMi⁷** **D^{b7(b5)}** / **GMI⁷** **C⁷**

7 Can there be a de - tour a - head?

A2 **FMA⁷** **B^{7(b9)}** **E^{7(#5)}** **B^bMA⁷** **AMi⁷** **DMi⁷** / **G⁷** **GMI⁷** **C⁷**

9 Wake up, slow down, before you crash and break your heart, gul-li-ble clown.

CMi⁷ **F⁷** **B^bMA⁷** **E^{b7}**

13 You fool, you're head - ed in the wrong di - rec - tion.

FMA⁷ **DMi⁷** **BMI^{7(b5)}** **E⁷**

15 Can't you see the de - tour a - head? The

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[B]

17 **A_Mi⁷** **E⁷(^{#9}_{b5})** **A_MA⁷** **B_Mi⁷(b5)** **E⁷**

8 farther you travel, the harder to unravel the web he spins a-round you. Turn

21 **A_Mi⁷** **E⁷(^{#9}_{b5})** **A_MA⁷** **G^{b9}(^{#11})**

back while there's time. Can't you see the danger sign? Soft shoulders sur - round you.

[A3]

25 **F_MA⁷** **B⁷(b9)** **E⁷(^{#5})** **B^b_MA⁷** **A_Mi⁷** **D_Mi⁷** / **G⁷** **G_Mi⁷** **C⁷**

Smooth road, clear night. Oh, luck - y me that suddenly I saw the light.

29 **C_Mi⁷** **F⁷** **B^b_MA⁷** **E^{b7}** **F_MA⁷** **A⁷(^{#9})**

I'm turn-ing back a - way from all that sor-row. Smooth road,

32 **D_Mi⁷** **A^{b7}** **G⁷** **C⁷sus** **F⁶** **(C⁷(^{#5}))**

clear day No de - tour a - head.