

# BLUES IN THE NIGHT

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Blues tempo

My ma - ma done tol' me \_\_\_ when I was in {knee - pants, pig - tails,} my ma - ma done tol' me, \_\_\_ {Son! \_\_\_ A  
Nat - chez to Mo - bile, \_\_\_ from Mem - phis to St. Joe, \_\_\_ where - ev - er the four winds \_\_\_ blow; \_\_\_ I

wom - an - 'll sweet talk, \_\_\_ } and give ya the big eye, \_\_\_ but when the sweet talk - in's done \_\_\_ }  
man's gon - na sweet talk, \_\_\_ } an' heard me some big talk, \_\_\_ } but there is one thing I know, \_\_\_ }  
been in some big towns - an' heard me some big talk, \_\_\_ } but there is one thing I know, \_\_\_ } To Coda ⊕

wom - man's a two - face, \_\_\_ } a wor - ri - some thing who'll leave ya t' sing the Blues \_\_\_ In The  
man is a two - face, \_\_\_ } a wor - ri - some thing who'll leave ya t' sing the Blues \_\_\_ In The

Night, Now the rain's a - fall - in', hear the train a - call - in', whoo - ee, \_\_\_ (my ma - ma done tol' me. \_\_\_)

Hear dat lone - some whis - tle blow - in' 'cross the tres - tle, whoo - ee, \_\_\_ (My ma - ma done tol' me. \_\_\_) A

whoo - ee - duh - whoo - ee, \_\_\_ ol' click - e - ty clack's a - ech - o - in' back th' Blues \_\_\_ In The

Night. \_\_\_ The eve - nin' breeze - 'll start the trees to cry - in' and the moon - 'll hide it's light,  
Take my word, the mock - in' bird - 'll sing the sad - dest kind o' song,

1. Gm7b5 C7 F7 Cm7b5 F7 2. Gm7b5 C7 F7 Ebm/Gb

when you get the Blues \_\_\_ In The Night. \_\_\_ wrong \_\_\_ and he's right. \_\_\_

Abm6 F7/A Bb7 C7 F7 D.S. al Coda ⊕ CODA

(whistle) \_\_\_ From \_\_\_ Night. (hum) \_\_\_

Bb7 C7b9 F7 C7 F7sus Bb

My ma - ma was right, there's Blues \_\_\_ In The Night.