

The Bill Monroe Collection

Rocky Road Blues (Bill Monroe)



Musical notation for 'Rocky Road Blues' (Bill Monroe) in 4/4 time, key of A major. The notation includes a treble clef, a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#), and a 4/4 time signature. The melody is written on a single staff. The fretboard notation is provided below the staff, with fingerings indicated by numbers 1-4 and 0 for open strings. Chord symbols (A, A7, D7, E) are placed above the staff to indicate the harmonic structure.

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Now the road is rocky, but it won't be rocky long,
Now the road is rocky, but it won't be rocky long;
Another man has got my woman and gone.

I've got those blues, I'm wearing out the soles of my shoes,
I've got those blues, I'm wearing out the soles of my shoes;
My gal went away and left me,
She left me with the dog gone blues.

You'll never miss your water til the well runs dry,
You'll never miss your water til the well runs dry;
You'll never miss your woman until she says goodbye.

I wish to the Lord you'd bring my woman back home,
I wish to the Lord you'd bring my woman back home;
I'm not so lonesome, just don't want to be alone.



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