Blues 2.0

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Oh what a day I've had today Too much work for to little pay Highways crowded going and comin' By the end of the week y'all my pockets hummin'

I get up early

I'm a modern day slave Honest hard work gonna get me an early grave Thousands of people all downtown bound Our daily lives ruled by ringing sounds

Chorus: Nine to five workin' nine to five And we wont get out of these blues alive When will it end I don't know I got the nine to five blues or Blues 2.0

Tighten up that line and get back to work Today the boss man is a jerk gone berserk I 'm on a crowded road that has no end Working for somebody I'll never win,

If you call in sick you'd better have a bad cough They'll cut your benefits and lay you off One of these days I'm gonna do some for my self Gonna put my timecard on the boss man's shelf

Chorus:

I never finish I just quit for the day I get what bulls make when I get my pay I'm playin'. "Ketchup" up (now) got a payday loan so SBC wont cut off my 'phone

Cost money for my livin' Cost money for my killin' Cost money to go to the church house If the good lord willin' Never picked any cotton ain't split no rails I traded in my hammer for a hundred E-mails Chorus: 'Repeat 1st verse

Blues On The Banjo

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I fell in love a long time ago When I heard the blues being played on the Banjo.

I was taken by this O'l sound when I first heard The blues on the Banjo, blues on the Banjo. The more I listened the more I found -That my soul responded to this clunky sound It brightens up my day to hear someone play The blues on the Banjo, blues on the Banjo

Bridge: When Blues on the Banjo is in the mix It adds a deep tradition to the licks From Jim Dandy to Handy and all that jazz and swing

Why there was a time when Blues on the Banjo was King

There was a pretty lady that I was datin' But I left he cold when she started Banjo hatin' She asked me to choose and I chose Blues on the Banjo, blues on the Banjo.

There comes a time in a persons life When Its the simple things that really matter Like s a smile on baby's face or in my case The Blues on the Banjo, blues on the Banjo Repeat Bridge

I fell in love along time ago When I heard the blues being played on the Banjo.

I was taken by this O'l sound when I first heard The blues on the Banjo, blues on the Banjo.

How Could We Live Without Love

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Without the trees there would be no leaves to fall Without the water there would be no seas at all Without the angels up above oh tell me tell me baby

How could we live without love?

Without clouds it could never rain Without your love baby I would never be the same

Without the angels up above oh tell me tell me baby

Tell me how could we live without love?

So to night my love I hope you understand

That love is not a bargain between a woman and a man. Close your eyes and think of me my dear And if you dream about me, just call me., and I'll be there.

Without the trees there would be no leaves to fall Without the water there would be no seas at all Without the angels up above oh tell me tell me baby

How could we live without love Repeat

I Can Still Rock and Roll

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Monologue: Who is this man- staring back at me? This not the face- I long to see.

Those youthful eyes- that burned like fire And quickened- many a maidens' desire

Lie buried deep in lines it seems To tell the world some broken dreams No carefree smile- is witnessed now The worry lines have creased his brow

I can but drop my head and wonder how This stranger, he could be The image now of me.

1. I'm gettin' old. I'm gettin' old My body don't work like it use to work

My mind say yes, my body say no

Things I use to do, I don't do no more But when it comes to loving you-I can still rock and roll - Rock Rock, rock and roll.

2. I'm gettin' old. I'm gettin' old My eyes don't see like they use to see I'm blind I can't see, If I knock you down Don't you blame it on me.But when it comes to loving you-I can still rock and roll - Rock Rock, rock and roll.

3. I'm gettin' old. I'm gettin' old My memory ain't like it use to be.What's my name? what's my number?Where'd I park my car, sometimes I wonder.But when it comes to loving you-I can still rock and roll repeat - Rock Rock, rock and roll.

I Wonder

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Chorus: I wonder if my baby will ever take me back again 2x I wonder if my baby will forgive me for my sins.

Spoken:

I had a woman her name was Louise For a time she was my woman always eager to please.

She took care of me, dress me fed me and kept my pockets green, (But) I was mean and greedy when I left her she was bloody and broke

Verse1: I took her car keys and I left town with a high yellow gal. I left Chicago and went down to Biloxi. Louse said I would live to regret it, I said I'd be damned if that's so.

I wonder if my baby will ever take me back again 2x

I wonder if my baby will forgive me for my sins.

Spoken:

It's been six months since I left Louise. The high yellow gal done left me with holes in my blue jeans. She laid me and she played then she took off when my money was gone (And) now I 'm lean and needy when she left me I had a stroke

Verse:

I'm going back to Chicago a broken man Maybe Louise will see things my way and take me back again. I was wrong to let her go you know Louise told me so.

I wonder if my baby will ever take me back again 2x

I wonder if my baby will forgive me for my sins.

Laura Marie

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Laura Marie you sho' got some fine Bar B Que. 2x You look good to me I hope I look good to you. Laura Marie I want to be with you 2x

I like you and I hope you like me to.

1st Bridge: If you be my woman then I'll be your man. You know that we go hand in hand. I like you and I'll be good to you. I know what I want. I want to thrill you through and through.

Laura Marie I wanna dance with you Hold you tight and romance with you Laura Marie I wanna dance with you

Laura Marie I want to hold you in my arms 2x I think your swell and I can't resist your charms

Bridge:

Laura Marie you sho' got some fine Bar B Que. 2x

You look good to me I hope I look good to you

Long Distance Love Affair

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My baby and me live miles apart It's been this way right from the start

Maybe it's right or maybe it's wrong But we just keep on holding' on (2x)

((To this) Long Distance Love Affair (3x) Is when yo' baby lives way over there (2x)

Year after year were movin' on Our sacrifice keeps our love strong.

There is no daytime and there is no night

When we come together we turn out the lights (2x)

On this...Chorus

Bridge: And this too shall pass We'll be under one roof if we can last It's more than a notion It's a test of devotion When your baby lives way over there 2x

She is my woman and I am her man We get together whenever we can when the weekend rolls around One of us is highway bound (2x) In this...Chorus

Our loves is a blessin' And a real tough lesson Missing each other day by day Is the price that we both pay (2x)

Bridge: Repeat 1st verse and chorus.... And that's No Way To get along.

Lucky Lady

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Chorus: Lucky Lady Lucky Lady You're as lucky as can be 2x For Lucky Lady You know you could have been tied to me

And now I'm a loser and a boozer and it so plain to see

That you Lucky Lady you know could have been tied to me

For Lucky Lady you know you could have been tied to me

My tears are fallen' cause you ain't been callin' me anymore My tears are fallen' cause you ain't been callin' me anymore While you're sleepin' I'm weepin' Pacing all over this lonely floor. **Chorus**

So while you're dreamin' and its seemin' everything is going well. Well now I'm dreamin' and I'm screamin' going through this lonely hell. Well Lucky Lady Now you know it's so true that my luck all ran out with you.

The Moon Man Rag

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When the Moon Man comes around My woman starts breakin' down He makes his rounds every 28 days That's when my sweet babe goes through a phase.

Chorus: When she don't won't me around no more and get your backside on out the door. Then she says "won't you please come back sweet daddy, I love you like I never did before".

When the Moon Man is having his way I go along with everything she say.

I keep a low profile in my house Where I roared like a lion but I'm just a mouse. Chorus: And, she....

My papa told me 'bout a women's strife He said its just another fact of life. I don't understand I'm still in the dark Maybe they should call it a question mark Chorus: Cause, she...

Bridge: All of my troubles will clear up in a week we'll be dancing cheek to cheek It's always nice to get your sweet baby back, but until then she's a raving maniac who loves me like she never did before.

When the Moon Man is at high tide My woman changes like Jekyll and Hyde I always know when the moon man's due She says, look at me when I'm talkin' to you. Chorus: Cause, she

You know the Moon man cramps her style He slows her down for little while. Today she's craving fish sticks and peas Peanut butter and jelly with oatmeal and goat cheese.

Chorus: Now, she....

(When) my woman's packin' dyno-mite I walk on eggshells and stay out of sight. Don't get me wrong she's my one desire, but when you play with the moon man you play with fire

Chorus: Cause, she....

Bridge: All of my troubles will clear up in a week we'll be dancing cheek to cheek It's always nice to get your sweet baby back, but until then she's a raving maniac who loves me like she never did before. Chorus: Cause, she

When the Moon Man comes around My woman starts breakin' down He makes his rounds every 28 days That's when my sweet babe goes through a phase. Chorus Cause, she....

My Pencil Don't Write No More

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Listen here folks there's one thing sure my old pencil don't write no more because the lead is all gone, I said the lead is all gone you know my lead is all gone, my pencil don't write no more. It don't write no more.

I get in my bed just to write a line I could feel my old pencil drooping forward all the time when the lead is all gone, when the lead is all gone when the lead is all gone and your pencil don't write no more.

I met a hot mama I want to love her so bad I lost all the lead my pencil that I had when the lead is all gone, when the lead is all when the lead is all gone and your pencil don't write no more. It don't write no more.

I went to my doctor I got a Viagra pill and then abracadabra and now I'm King of the Hill and I am bad to the bone and I'm comin 'own real strong. I said hey hey hey.

I hugged and I kissed her all last night she was walking the ceiling you know my doctor was right When you're bad to the bone and you're comin on strong hey hey.

You can sure tell when a man's pencil don't write his woman takes all his money and she don't come home at night. When you're bad to the bone and when you come on strong hey hey hey. Repeat first verse

Sometimes Bad Man Blues

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Sometimes a bad man crashes at a junction through rose-colored glasses he don't see selfdestruction Sometimes a bad man leans back on his lies any sign of trouble he begins to rationalize

Chorus: Sometimes a bad man fears to hear the news 'cause that man ain't no stranger to the Sometimes Bad Man Blues Sometimes a bad man makes the truth step aside A devil with an angel's grin his vices help him hide

Sometimes a bad man returns to the scene To quench his thirst on some else's dream **Chorus:**

Sometimes a bad man must have two faces One for protection to cover his bases

Sometimes a bad man begs to be forgiven Lurking underground where the chosen few are driven **Chorus**:

The Lonely Traveler

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Tall thin shadow With a guitar in his hand One last show For this urban blues man He's got a date with fate And he won't be late.

'Cause when they call your number You'll go up or under

Chorus: He's gone. He's gone The Lonely Traveler is Gone

He's gone. The Lonely Traveler is Gone. He's gone. He's gone The Lonely Traveler is Gone

Standing as an elder He sat down to play the blues Preachin' to the faithful About paying some dues

When he played the blues He didn't play'em fast

He played his secret chords To summon spirits from the past **Chorus:**

A one -man band whose feet kept movin' He's traveled on a road that has no end He wore boots, spurs And a cowboy hat He had a voice like rollin' thunder That no man could put asunder **Chorus:** (Solo) Sitting' on the driver side In the middle of the day With his foot on the brake He blew himself away

It was the pain he felt. From the cards he was dealt He was looking for an answer And he couldn't beat the cancer **Chorus**

When I think about my friend Jimmie Lee I say why cry For a soul set free Even if you're lucky and you're able to survive None of us will ever Get out of these blues alive **Chorus: Repeat first Verse Chorus:**