

Trouble In Mind

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Medium slow

The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). It begins with a dynamic marking of *mp* and a triplet of eighth notes. The melody is accompanied by chords: G, D7, G7, C, C#dim, G/D, E7, A7, Am7/D, D7, G, D7, G7, C, C#dim, G/D, Em, A7, D7, G, C7, G. The lyrics are: 'Trou-ble in mind, I'm blue, but I won't be blue al-ways; 'Cos the sun gon-na shine on my back door some-day. I'm gon-na lay my head on a lone-some rail-road line, And let the Two Nine-teen pa-ci-fy my mind.

Verse 2

I'm all alone at midnight, and my lamp is burning low;
Never had so much trouble in my life before.
I'm gonna lay my head on that lonesome railroad track;
But when I hear that whistle, Lord, I'm gonna pull it back.

Verse 3

I'm going down to the river, take along my rocking chair;
If the blues don't leave me, I'll rock away from here.
Trouble in mind, I'm blue, but I won't be blue always;
'Cos the sun gonna shine on my back door some day.