

Key to the Highway – Charles Segar; Big Bill Broonzy
(1970, Derek and the Dominos: "Layla"-Eric Japton; Keith Richards – key of A)

I got the ¹Key to the ⁵Highway,
I'm ⁴Billed out, and bound to go.
I'm gonna ¹Leave here running,
cuz ⁵walkin's most too ¹ ⁴ ¹ ⁵slow.

I'm going ¹Down on the ⁵Border,
now ⁴where I'm better known.
cuz woman ¹You don't do nothin',
but ⁵Drive a good man away from ¹ ⁴ ¹ ⁵home.

When the Moon gets over the Mountain,
I'll... Be on my way.
I'm gonna walk this old highway,
Un-Til the break of Day.

Oh give me One, one more kiss Mama,
Just Before I go.
Cuz when I Leave this time you know I,
I Won't be back no more.

Come Here, sweet Mama,
and Help me with this heavy load.
I am Due in West Texas,
and I've Got to get on the Road.

I'm goin' to West Texas,
I'm goin' down behind this song.
I'm gonna ask the good Lord
what evil have I done.

So long and goodbye
Yes I had to say goodbye,
'Cause I'm gonna walk, walk this ol' highway,
Deep until the day I die.