

# Milwaukee Blues

M: C; F: F or G, capo 5 or 7  
CD 2-Track 20

Traditional

1. One Tues-day morn-ing and it looked like rain, 'Round the curve come a pass-en-ger train, On the blind\_ sat\_

11 old Bill Jones, He's a good old ho - bo and he's trying to get home. He's a' trying to get home, — He's

21 trying to get home, — He's a good old ho - bo and he's trying to get home. —

C  
2. Way down in Georgia on a tramp,  
G  
The roads are getting muddy and the leaves are getting damp,  
C F  
Got to catch a freight train, leave this town  
C G C  
Cause they don't 'low no hoboes a' hanging around.  
F C  
Hanging around, hanging around,  
G C  
They don't 'low no hoboes a' hanging around.

3. Left Atlanta one morning 'fore day,  
The brakeman said, "You'll have to pay."  
Had no money so I pawned my shoes,  
I want to go west, I've got the Milwaukee blues.  
Got the Milwaukee blues, got the Milwaukee blues,  
I want to go west, I got the Milwaukee blues.

4. Old Bill Jones said before he died,  
"Fix the road so the 'boes can ride.  
When they ride, they will ride the rods,  
Put all their trust in the hands of God.  
In the hands of God, in the hands of God,  
Put all their trust in the hands of God.

5. Old Bill Jones said before he died,  
There's two more roads he'd like to ride.  
Fireman said, "What can it be?"  
"The Southern Pacific and the Santa Fe.  
Santa Fe, yes, the Santa Fe,  
The Southern Pacific and the Santa Fe."