

Key: G

Genre: Folk

Harp Type: Chromatic

Skill: Any

## House Of The Rising Sun 1 (chromatic)

Trad. Folk song

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2 2 -2\* 3 -4 -3 2 2

There is a house in New Or-leans

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They call the Ris-ing Sun.

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And it's been the ru-in

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of man-y a poor boy

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And me, I know I'm one.



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## Lyrics

There is a house in New Orleans They call the Rising Sun And  
it's been the ruin of many a poor boy Dear God, I know I was  
one

My mother was a tailor She sewed my new blue jeans And my  
father was a gamblin' man Way down in New Orleans

And the only thing a gambler needs Is a suitcase in the trunk  
And the only time he's satisfied Is when he's on a drunk

Oh mother, tell your children Not to do what I have done Don't  
spend your life in sin and misery In the House of the Rising  
Sun

I got one foot on the platform And another on the train And  
I'm goin' back to New Orleans To wear that ball and chain

There is a house in New Orleans They call the Rising Sun And  
it's been the ruin of many a poor boy Dear God, I know I was  
one Dear God, I know I was the one



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