

Key: C

Genre: General

Harp Type: Diatonic

Skill: Any

## The House of Rising Sun (my best)

-4 -4 5 -5 -6 6 -4 -5

There is a house in New Orleans,

-8 -8 -8 7-6 6 -6

They call the Rising Sun.

-6 7 -8 -8 7 -6 6 -5 -4 -4

And it's been the ruin of many a poor boy,

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And God, 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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