

Walkin' Blues

(Eric Clapton "Unplugged" version)

Words & Music:
Robert Johnson

Tune your guitar to open G tuning (D G D G B D) and play with fingers & slide. I've included a tab below by an unknown tabber.

Woke up this mornin', feel 'round for my shoes,
You know about you that, babe, had them old walkin' blues,
Woke up this mornin', I feel 'round for my shoes.
You know about that, baby. Woo, Lord! I had them old walkin' blues.

I'm leavin' this mornin', I have to go ride the blinds.
I been mistreated, I don't mind dyin' this mornin',
If I have to go ride blind.
I've been mistreated. Woo, Lord! I don't mind dyin'.

INSTRUMENTAL SOLO:

People tell me, the walkin' blues ain't bad.
The worse old feelin' I most ever had.
People tell me, the old walkin' blues ain't bad.
Well, it's the worse old feelin'. Woo, Lord, the most I ever had.

INSTRUMENTAL SOLO TO END:

Walkin' Blues Tab - Eric Clapton version

[tabber unknown]

~~ = slide or slide vibrato / = slide up \ = slide down

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1   G
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d | -10/12-12-12-12-12-12--11/12-12-12--11/12-12-12- |
B | -10/12-12-12-12-12-12--11/12-12-12--11/12-12-12- |
G | ----- |
D | ----- |
G | ----- |
D | ----- |

2   ~~~~~ ~~~~~ ~~~~~ ~~~~~ ~~~~~
d | -----0- |
B | -11/12--11/12--11/12--11/12-----0/12--- |
G | -11/12--11/12-----12--0/12--- |
D | -----12--0/12--- |
G | ----- |
D | ----- |
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3 ~~~~~

d	-10/12--12--12--12--12--12--12--12--12--12--12--12--12--12-
B	-10/12-----12--12--12--12--12--12--12--12--12--12--12-
G	-----
D	-----
G	-----
D	-----

4 ~~~~~ ~~~~~ ~~~~~ Gb F/(G) ~~~~

d	-----12-----12-----	-----X-----
B	-11/12----11/12----11/12-----12-12-11-	-10--X-----
G	-----12-12-12-12-11-	-10--0-----
D	-----12-12-11-	-10--0-----
G	-----12-12-11-	-----3/5-
D	-----	-----

6 C ~~~ ~~~ ~~~

d	-----	-----	-----	-----
B	---5-----	--3/5---5-----	-----	-----
G	-5--5--0---	--3/5--5--5--5--5\3--0--3/3--0---	-----	-----
D	-5--5--0---	--3/5--5--5--5--5\3--0--3/3--0---	-----	-----
G	---5---0-	-----5-----5--5\3-----0-	-----	-----
D	-----0-	-----	-----	-----

8 G ~~~ ~~~~~ ~~~ ~~~ ~~~ ~~~ ~~~

d	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
B	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
G	-0-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
D	-0-0-----0-3/5\3-0-2/3-0-2/3-	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
G	-----2/4-----2/3-0-2/3-	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
D	-----3-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----

10 D C ~~~ ~~~ ~~~~~ ~~~ ~~~~~ ~~~ ~~~~~ ~~~ ~~~~~

d	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
B	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
G	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
D	-5/7-0-----0-5/7-7\5\-----0-	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
G	-----0-2/4-----0-2/4---	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
D	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----

12 G G7 G6 G#5 G D ~~~ ~~~~~

d	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
B	-----0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
G	-----0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
D	-0-----3---3-2--2-1--1-	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
G	-0-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
D	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----

14 G5 G7 G6 G ~~~~~ G G7 G6 G ~~~~

d	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
B	-----0-----0-0-0-0-	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
G	-----0-----0-0-0-0-	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
D	-0-----3-----3-2--2-0-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
G	-0-----0-----0-----2/3/4-	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
D	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----

Woke up this morn - in'

feel 'round for my shoes.

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	G7	G6	G	~~~~
d	-----			
B	-----0-----0-----			
G	-----0-----0-----0-----0-----0-----0-----			
D	-----0-----3-----3-----2-----2-----0-----			
G	-----0-----0-----0-----0-----0-----3/4-----			
D	-----			

You know a-bout that, babe

	G5	G7	G6	G	~~~~
d	-----0-----				
B	-----0-----0-----0-----0-----				
G	-----0-----0-----0-----0-----0-----				
D	-----0-----3-----2-----2-----0-----				
G	-----0----- -----3/5-----				
D	-----				

had them old walkin' blues.

C

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d	----- -----	
B	5	X
G	-5-5-5-5-5-X	-5-X-5-5-5-0
D	-5-5-5-5-5-0	-5-X-5-5-5-0
G	-X-X-3/5-	-3/5-5-5-5-
D	-X-	

Woke up this morn - in'                                          I feel 'round                                          for my shoes.

	G	~~~~	~~~~	~~~~	~~~~	~~~~
d	----- ----- ----- -----					
B	----- ----- ----- -----					
G	-----0-----					
D	-----0-3/5-0-0-----0-----0-3/5-0-----0-----					
G	-----0-3/4-----0-----0-----/3/4-----0-2/4-0-----					
D	-----2/5-----					

	G7	G6	G	~~~~
d	-----			
B	-----7-----			
G	-----7-----			
D	-----4/7-----0-----			
G	-----0-----3/5-----			
D	-----			

You know a-bout that, baby

C

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d	-----
B	-----
G	-5-----X-----5-----5-----5\0-----
D	-5-----X-----5-----5-----5\0-----
G	-----X-----5-----
D	-----

Woo-Lord, I had them old walk - in' blues.

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d	-----								~~~~~				~~~~~			
B	-----0-----0-----0-----0-----0-----								-----							
G	-----0-----0-----0-----0-----0-----								-----							
D	-----3-----3-----2-----2-----1-----1-----								-0-----0-----0-----				-----0-----			
G	-0-----								-3/4-----				-0-X-3/4-----			
D	-----								-----X-----				-----X-----			

G5 G7 G6 G G G7 G6 G

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d	-----																			
B	-----0-----								-----0-----0-----0-----0-----											
G	-----0-----0-----0-----								-----0-----0-----0-----0-----											
D	-0-----0-----				-----3-----3-----				-----2-----2-----0-----				-0-----3-----3-----2-----2-----0-----							
G	-0-----								-----0-----/3/4-----								-0-----0-----0-----0-----0-----			
D	-----/3/4-----																			

I'm leavin' this morn - in' I have-ta go ride the blinds.

G5 G7 G6 G

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d	-----															
B	-----0-----0-----0-----0-----0-----0-----															
G	-----0-----0-----0-----0-----0-----0-----															
D	-----3-----3-----				-----2-----2-----0-----				-----							
G	-0-----0-----								-----0-----/3/4-----							
D	-----															

I been mis - treat ed.

G5 G7 G6 G C

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d	-----															
B	-----0-----0-----0-----0-----X-----								-----5-----							
G	-----0-----0-----0-----0-----0-----X-----								-----5-----							
D	-----3-----3-----				-----2-----2-----X-----				-5-----5-----				-----			
G	-0-----0-----								-----X-----/3/5-----				-5-----/3/5-----/3/5-----			
D	-----5-----															

I don't mind dyin' this a morn - in',

31

d	-----															
B	-----5-----															
G	-----5-----															
D	-5-----				-----5-----				-----							
G	-5-----3/5-----								-----							
D	-----5-----															

If I have-ta go ride a blind

32

d	-----															
B	-----															
G	-----															
D	-0-----0-----				-----3/5-----				-----0-----							
G	-0-----2/4-----								-----							
D	-----2/4-----															

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D

d	-----	-----
B	-----	-----X-----
G	-----	-----X-----
D	-0-----0-3/5-----0	-----X-----
G	-0-2/4-----0-0-	-5/7-----X-3/5-
D	-----0-2/4-----	-----

I been mis-treat ed.

35

C

d	-----	-----	-----	-----
B	-----	-----	-----	-----
G	-5-----5-----5-5-----5\	-----	-----	-----
D	-5-----5-----5-5-----5\	-----	-----	-----
G	-----	-----0	-----	-----
D	-----	-----	-----	-----

Woo-Lord, I don't mind dyin'

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G D

d	-----0-0--0-
B	-0-----0-0--0-
G	-0-----0-----
D	-0-----0--0--0-----
G	---2/4/-----
D	-----

GUITAR SOLO

38

G

d	-/12----12-12-12-12-11/12-12-12-11/12-12-12-	-----0-
B	-/12-12-12-12-12-12-11/12-----11/12-----	-11/12--11/12-11/12-----0--0-
G	-----	-11/12-----12--0--
D	-----	-----0-----
G	-0-----0-0-----0-0-----	-----
D	-----	-----

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G

d	-/12----12-12-12-12-12-12-11/12-12-12-
B	-/12-12-12-----11/12-12-12-
G	-/12-----
D	-----
G	-0-----0-0-----
D	-----

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G^b F/(G) C

d	-----12-----12-----	-----	-----
B	-11/12----11/12----11/12-----12-12-11-	-10-----	-5--
G	-11/12-----12--12--12-12-11-	-10--0-----	-5--
D	-----12-12-11-	-10--0-----	-5--
G	---0-0--0-----0-0-----	-----x--2/	-/5-
D	-----	-----	-----

44

G

d	-----	-----
B	-----	-----
G	-----2/3-0--	-----
D	-4/5-4/5-4/5-4/5-4/5\3-0-2/3-0--	-0-0--2/4-0-3/5\3-0-2/3-0-2/3/-
G	-4/5-4/5-4/5-4/5-4/5\3-0-----0-	-0-----0-2/4-----2/3-0-2/3/-
D	-----	-----

46

D

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d |-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
B |-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
G |-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
D |-0--3/5--5--5--5--0--2/4--0-|-5/7--0--2/4--0-5/7--7\-----0-|
G |-0-----0-2/4-----|-----0-2/4-----0-2/4-----|
D |-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|

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48

C

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d |-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
B |-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
G |-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
D |-3/5--5\-----0-3/5\3--0-2/3--0-/2/3-|
G |-----0-2/4-----2/3--0-/2/3-|
D |-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|

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49

G G7 G6 G#5 G D

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d |-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
B |-----0-0--0-0--0-0-0-0-0-0-|-0-----|
G |-----0-----0-0-0-0-0-|-0-----|
D |-0--0-3-----3-2-2-1-1-|-0--0-0-0-0-0-0-|-|
G |-0-----|-----2/4-----3/4-----|
D |-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|

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51

G5 G7 G6 G G5 G7 G6 G

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d |-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
B |-----0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-|-0-0-0-0-0-0-|-|
G |-----0-0-0-0-0-0-0-|-0-0-0-0-0-0-|-|
D |-----0-3--3-2--2-0-|-0-3--3-2--2-0-|-|
G |-0--(0)-0--0-0-0-0-|-0-0-0-0-0-0-|-|
D |-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|/3/4-|

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Peo-ple tell me the walkin' blues ain't bad.

53

G5 G7 G6 G

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d |-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
B |-----0-----0-----0-----0-0-----|
G |-----0-----0-----0-----0-0-----|
D |-----0-----3-----3-----2-----2-0-----|
G |-0-----0-----0-----0-----0-0-----|
D |-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|/3/4-|

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The worse old feelin'

54

G5 G7 G6 G

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d |-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
B |-----0-----0-----0-----0-X-----|
G |-----0-----0-----0-----0-X-----|
D |-----0-----3-----3-----2-----2-X-----|
G |-0-----0-----0-----0-----0-X-----|
D |-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|/3/5-|

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I most ever had

55 C

d	----- ----- -----	----- ----- -----
B	-5--X-----0-0-----	----- ----- -----
G	-5--X--5--5--0-0-----	-5-----0-----/5-5--X-----
D	-5--X--5--5--0-0-----	-5-----0-----/5-5--X-----
G	----- ----- -----	-5-----0-----/5-5--X-----
D	----- ----- -----	----- ----- -----

Peo-ple tell me the old walkin' blues ain't bad.

57 G

d	----- ----- -----	----- ----- -----
B	----- ----- -----	----- ----- -----
G	----- ----- -----	----- ----- -----
D	-----0--3/5--0-----	-----0-----
G	-0--2/4-----	-0--2/4--3/5--0-----
D	-----3/5-----	-----5/7-----

Well it's the

59 D

d	----- -----
B	----- -----
G	-7-----7--7-----
D	-7-----7--7-----
G	-7-----7--7-----
D	-----3/5-----

worse old feelin'

60 C G G7 G6 G#5

d	----- -----	-----0--0--0--0--0--0-----
B	----- -----	-----0--0--0--0--0--0-----
G	-5-----X-----0-----X-----	-----0-3--3--2--2--1--1-----
D	-5-----X-----0-----X-----	-----0-----
G	-5-----X-----5-----	-----
D	----- -----	-----

Woo-Lord, the most I ever had.

62 G D

d	----- -----
B	-0-----0-0-----
G	-0-----0-----
D	-0-----0-0-----0-0-----
G	-2/4-----0-----
D	-----

GUITAR SOLO 2

63 G

d	-/12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12\10-	-----0--0--
B	-/12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12\10-	-10/12--11/12-11/12-12--0--0--
G	-----	-----12--X--0--
D	-----	-----X-----
G	-0--0--0--0--0--0--0--0--	-----X-----
D	-----	-----

G

65 ~~~
d | -/12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12- |
B | -/12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12-12- |
G | ----- |
D | ----- |
G | --0----- |
D | ----- |

Gb F/(G) C

66 ~~~~~ ~~~~~ ~~~~~
d | -----12-----12----- | ----- | ----- |
B | -11/12----11/12----11/12----12-12-12-11- | -10--0----- | -5----- |
G | -11/12----11/12----11/12-12-12-12-12-11- | -10--0----- | -5---0--- |
D | -----12-12-12-12-11- | -10--X----- | -5---0--- |
G | ----- | -----3/5-- | ----- |
D | ----- | -----3/5-- | ----- |

G ~~~ ~~~~~ ~~~ ~~~

69 ~~~ ~~~ ~~~ ~~~ ~~~~~ ~~~
d | ----- | ----- |
B | -4/5-4/5-4/5-4/5-4/5\3-0-2/3-0--- | ----- |
G | -4/5-4/5-4/5-4/5-4/5\3-0-2/3-0--- | -0----- |
D | -4/5-4/5-4/5-4/5-4/5\3-0-2/3-0--- | -0--0-----0-3/5\3-0-2/3-0-3/4-- |
G | -----0- | -X-----0-2/4-----2/3-0-3/4-- |
D | ----- | ----- |

D

71 ~~~ ~~~ ~~~ ~~~ ~~~ ~~~
d | ----- | ----- |
B | ----- | ----- |
G | -----3/5--5--5-5 | ----- |
D | -0--3/5--5--5-5--0-----0- | -5/7--7\-----0-5/7--7\-----0- |
G | -0-----0-2/4----- | -----0--2/4-----0--2/4--- |
D | ----- | ----- |

C

73 ~~~~~ ~~~ ~~~~~ ~~~ ~~~~~
d | ----- |
B | ----- |
G | ----- |
D | -3/5--5\-----0-3/5\2--0-2/3--0-/2/3- |
G | -----0-2/4-----2/3--0-/2/3- |
D | ----- |

G G7 G6 G#5 G ~~~ G ~~~~~ ~~~ G

74 ~~~ ~~~~~ ~~~~~ ~~~
d | ----- | -----/9/12-----0-- |
B | -----0--0--0--0-0-0-- | -----/9/12--11/12-----0-- |
G | -----0--0--0--0-0-0-- | -----/9/12-----12-----0-- |
D | -0--3-----2--2-1-- | -0-----0-----0-- |
G | ----- | --2/4/-----2/3-0-- |
D | -0----- | ----- |