

House of the Rising Sun

The Animals

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Picking pattern throughout. This is for guitar, but the same is true for a uke.

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Am          C          D          F          E
e|-----0-----0-----3--3-----1-1-----0-----
b|---1-^1-----1-^1-----2---^2-----1--^1-----^0-----
g|---2-----^0-----0-----^0-----3-----^0-----2-----^0-----1---^0---
d|---2-----^-----2-----^-----0-----^-----3-----^-----2-----^---
a|0-----3-----2-----
e|-----0-----
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Am C D F Am C E E

There ^{Am} is a ^C house in ^D New Or ^F leans,
They ^{Am} call the ^C Rising ^E Sun ^E
And It's ^{Am} been the ^C ruin of ^D many a poor ^F boy
And ^{Am} God, I ^E know, I'm ^{Am} one ^{C D F Am E Am E}

My ^{Am} mother ^C was a ^D tailor ^F
She ^{Am} sewed my ^C new blue ^E jeans ^E
My ^{Am} father ^C was a ^D gambling ^F man
^{Am} Down in ^E New ^{Am} Orleans ^{C D F Am E Am E}

And the ^{Am} only ^C things a ^D gambler ^F needs
Is a ^{Am} suitcase ^C and a ^E trunk ^E
And the ^{Am} only ^C time he's ^D satis ^F fied
Is ^{Am} when he's ^E all a- ^{Am} drunk ^{C D F Am E Am E}

I've ^{Am} got one ^C foot on the ^D platform ^F
The ^{Am} other ^C foot on the ^E train ^E
I'm ^{Am} going ^C back to ^D New Or ^F leans
To ^{Am} wear the ^E ball and ^{Am} chain ^{C D F Am E Am E}

So ^{Am} mothers, ^C tell your ^D children ^F
Not to ^{Am} do what ^C I have ^E done ^E
^{Am} Spend your ^C life in ^D sin and ^F misery
In the ^{Am} house of the ^E Rising ^{Am} Sun ^{C D F Am E Am E}

Repeat First Verse