

# Crossroads

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<https://youtu.be/mRfZ4jnruIQ>

Intro: [A] [A] [A] [A]

I went [D7] down to the crossroads, fell down on my [A] knees [A]  
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Well I, [E7] asked the Lord to have mercy,  
[D7] "Save me if you [A] please" [A]

I went [D7] down to the crossroads, tried to flag a [A] ride [A]  
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No-[E7] body seemed to know me,  
[D7] everybody passed me [A] by [A]

I'm going [D7] down to Rosedale, take my rider by my [A] side [A]  
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You can [E7] still barrelhouse darlin',  
[D7] cos'a mama is on the river-[A] side [A]

You can [D7] run, you can run...  
tell my friend, poor Owen [A] Brown [A]  
You can [D7] run, you can run...  
tell my friend, poor Owen [A] Brown [A]  
I am [E7] standing at the crossroads,  
be-[D7] lieve I'm sink-ing [A] down [A]

[D7] Standin' at the crossroad, baby, risin' sun goin' [A] down [A]  
[D7] Standin' at the crossroad, baby, risin' sun goin' [A] down [A]  
I be-[E7] lieve to my soul, now, poor [D7] Owen is sinkin' [A] down

[A] [A] [A] [A] [A!]

[A] chord run – so each [A] you play 2 strums on each of the following



[D7] and [E7] alternatives

